



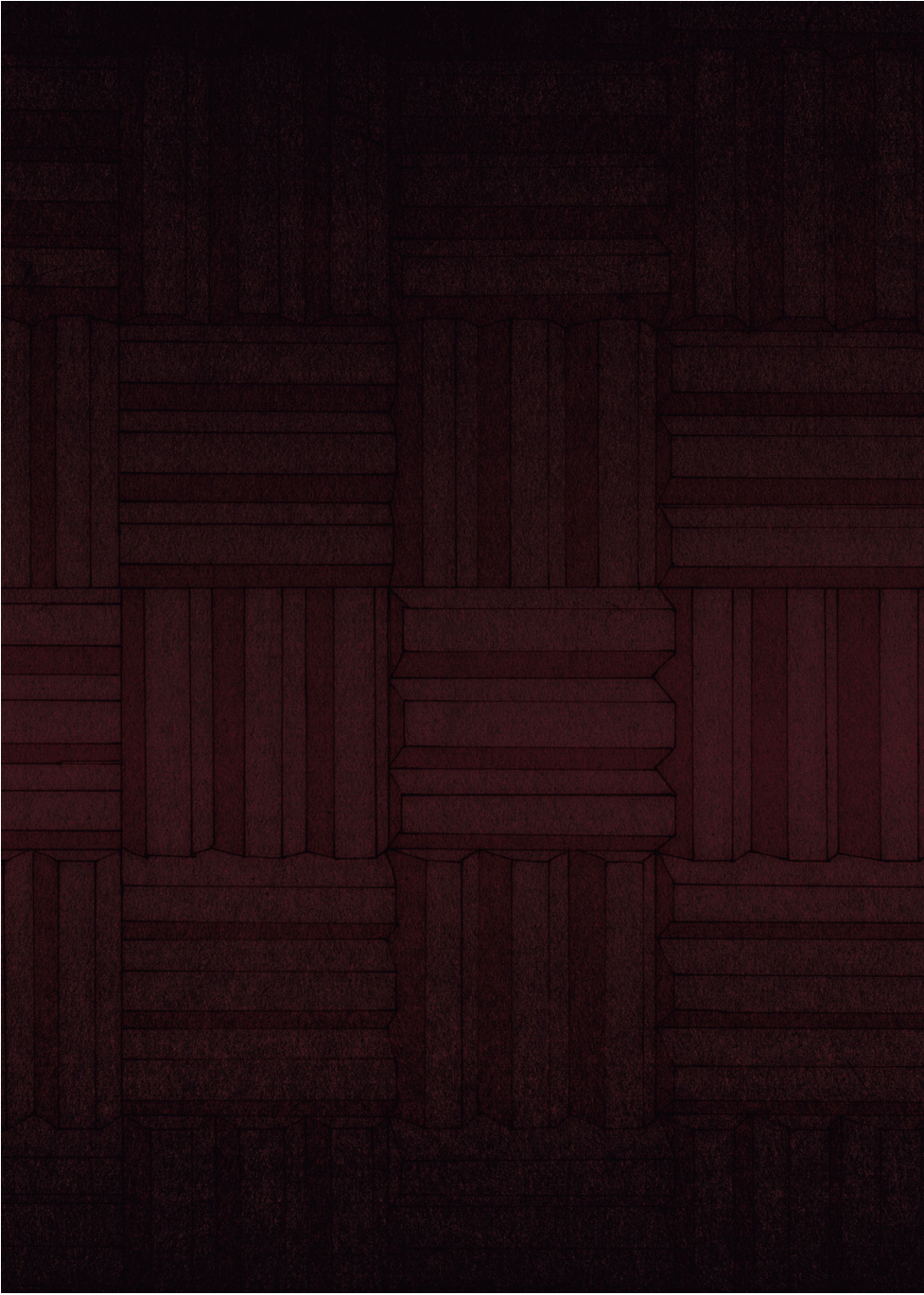
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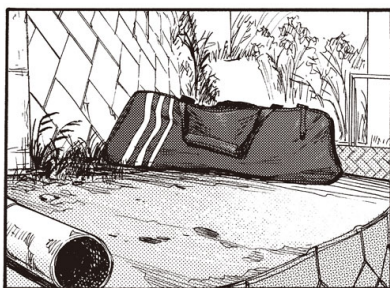
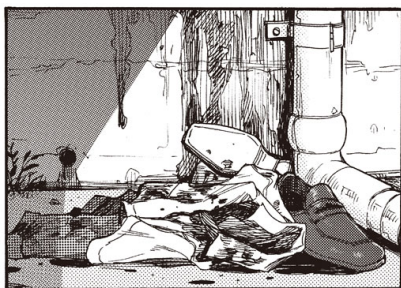
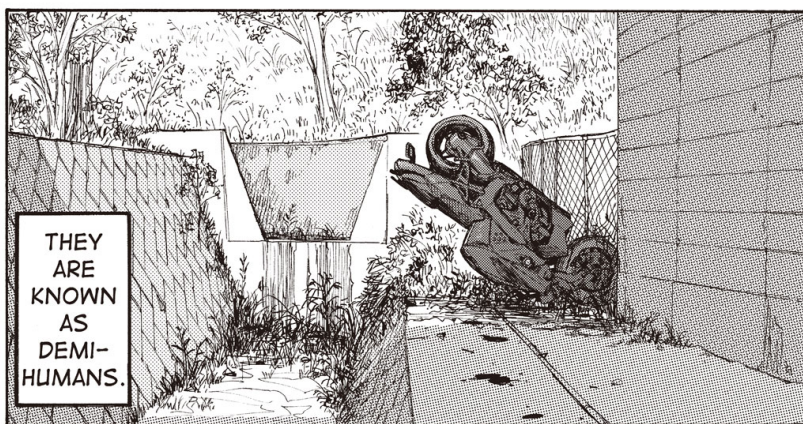
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GAMON SAKURAI





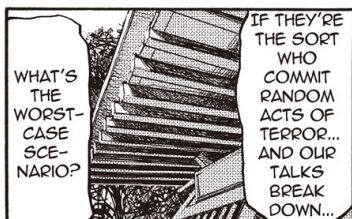


THESE
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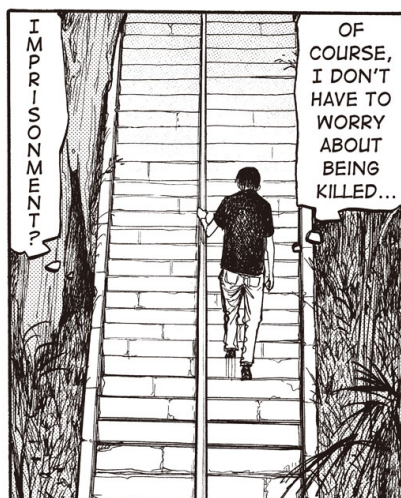
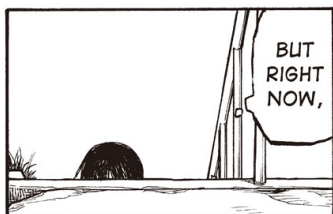
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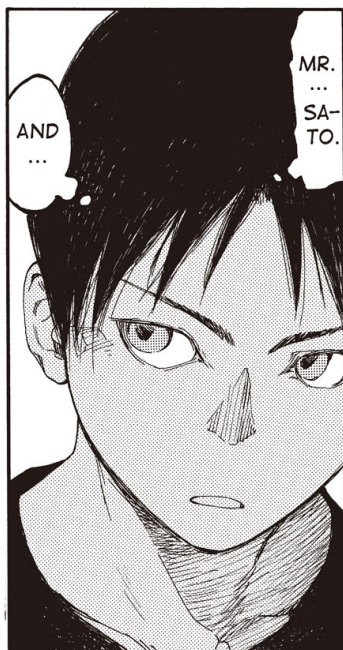
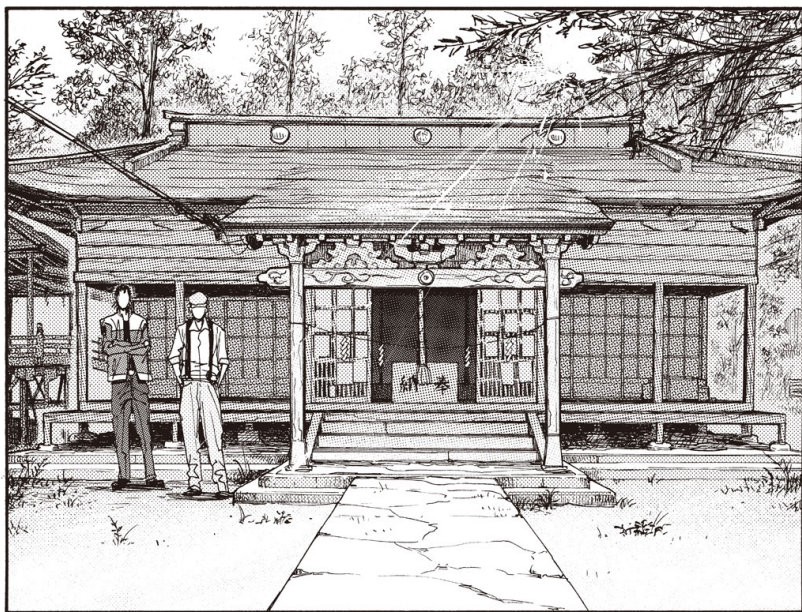


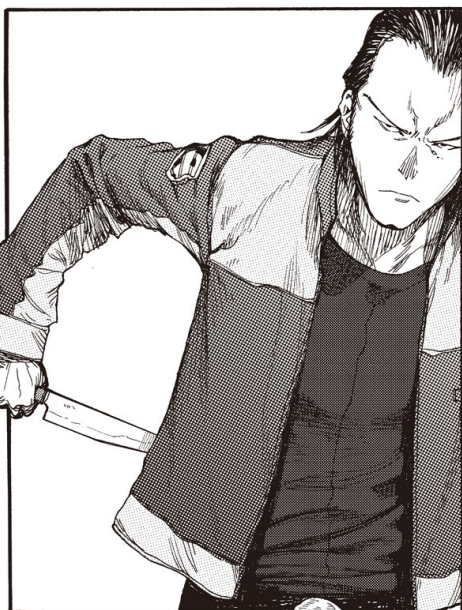
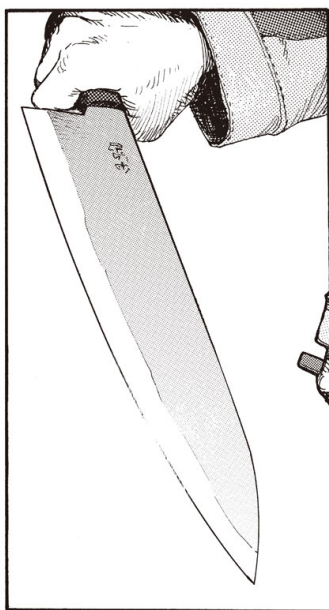
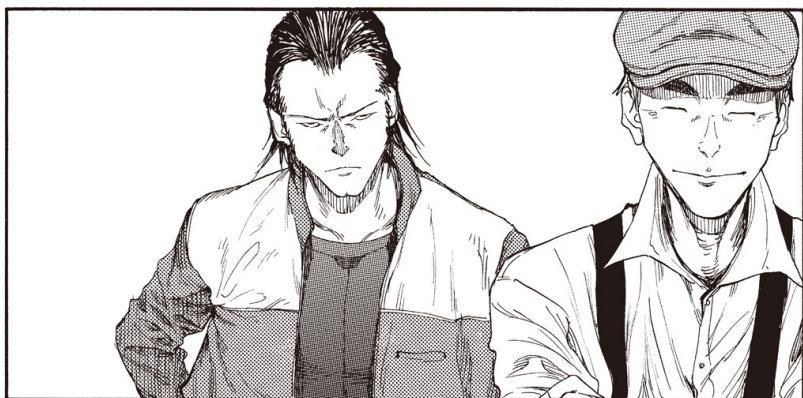


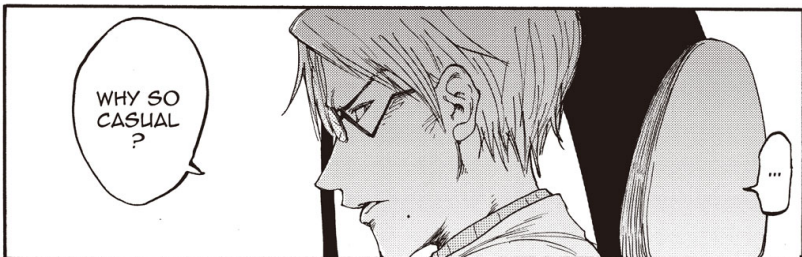
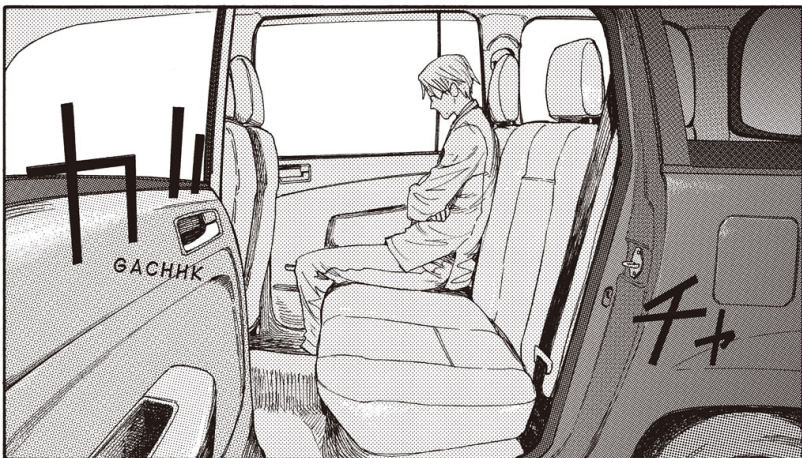
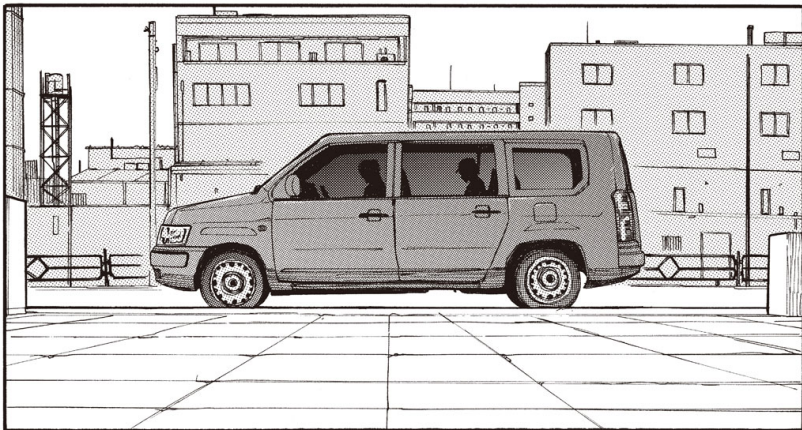
IF THEY'RE THE SORT WHO COMMIT RANDOM ACTS OF TERROR... AND OUR TALKS BREAK DOWN...



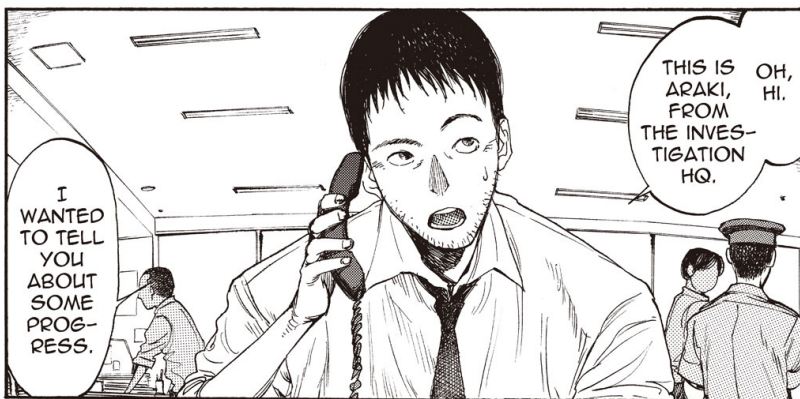
IMPRISONMENT?

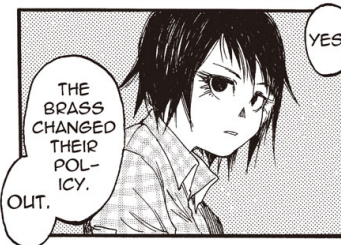
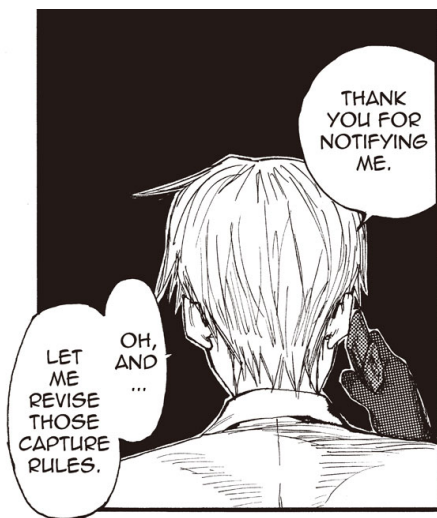


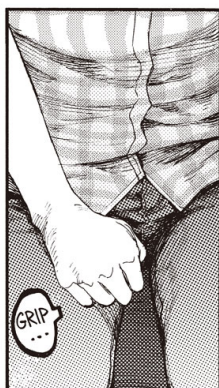


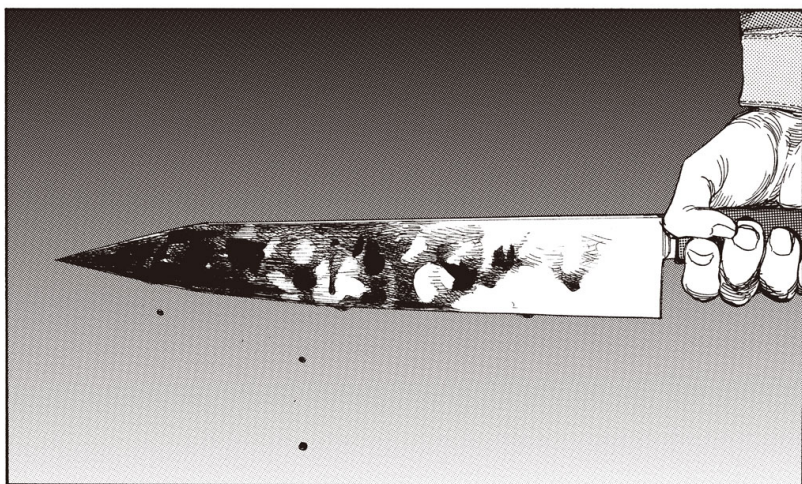


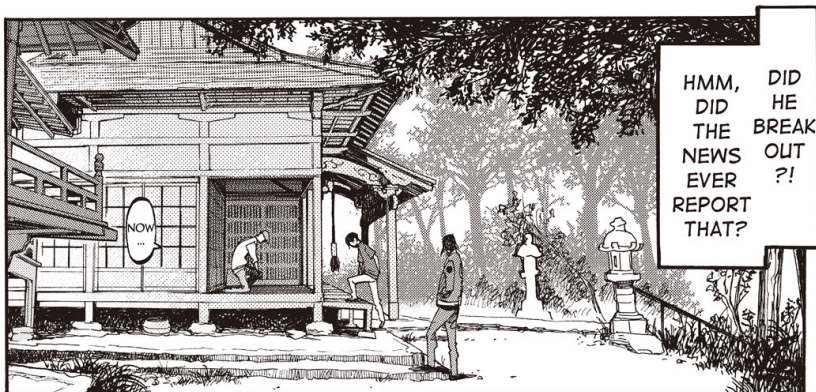
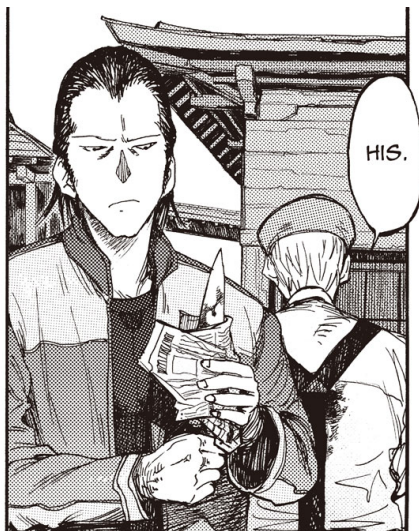


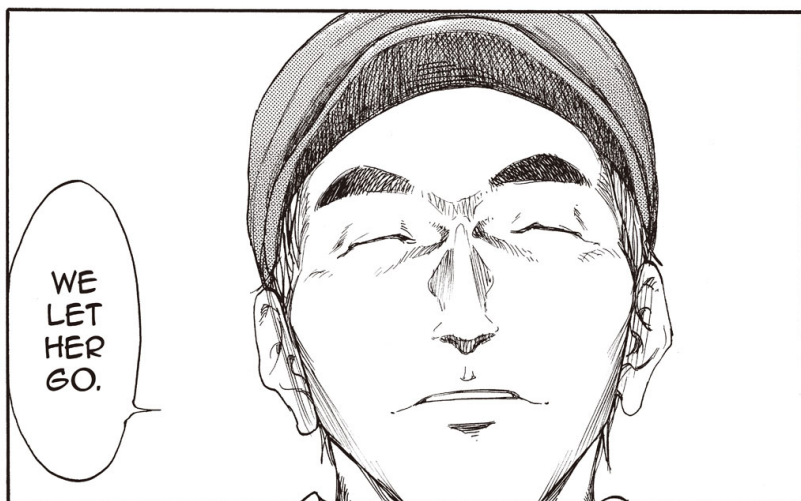
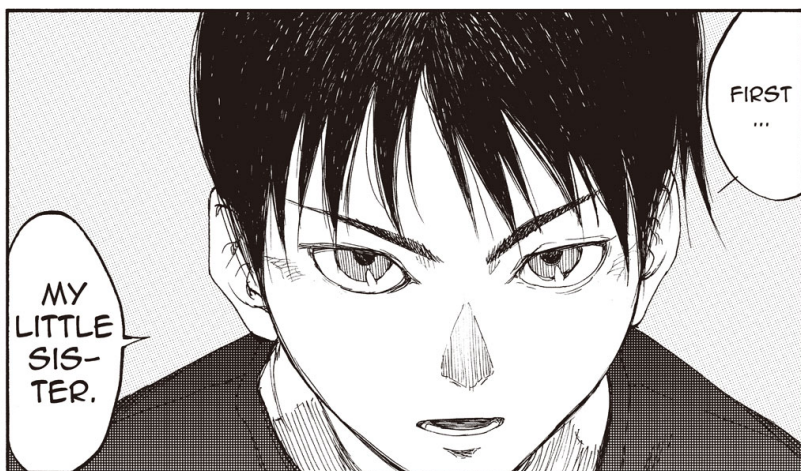


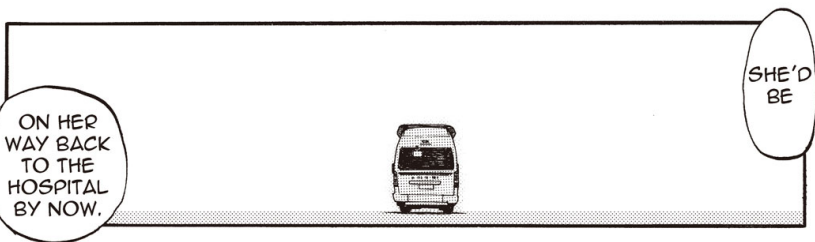
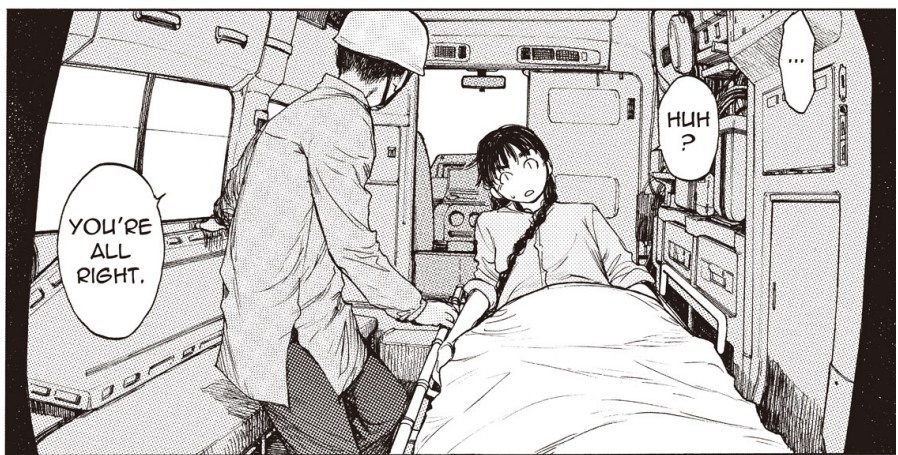
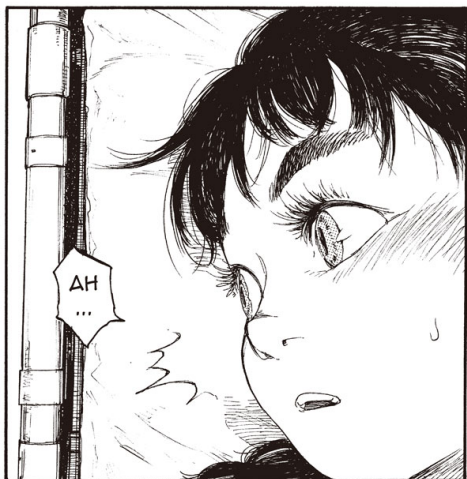


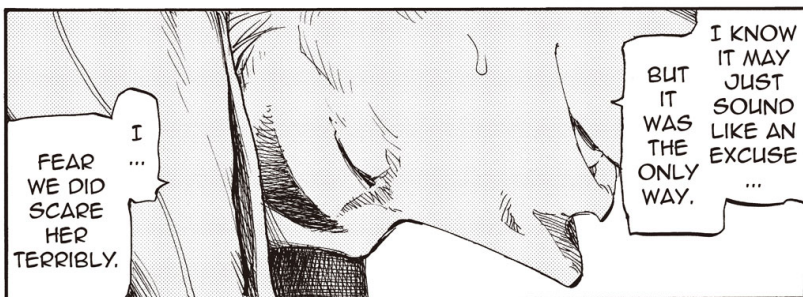
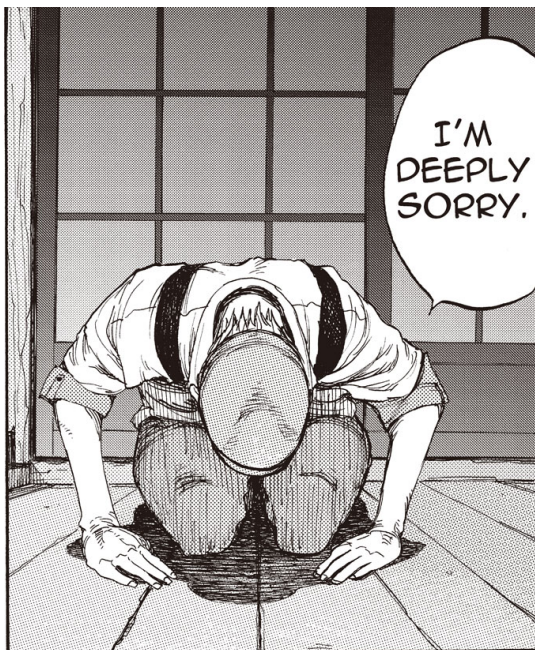


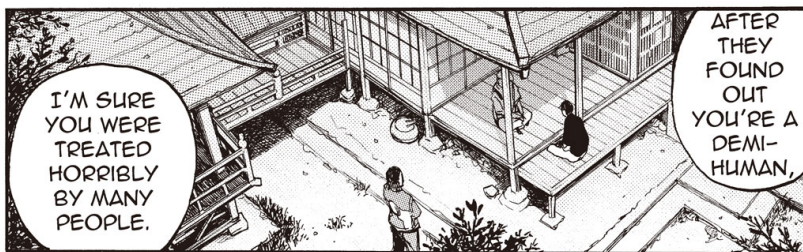


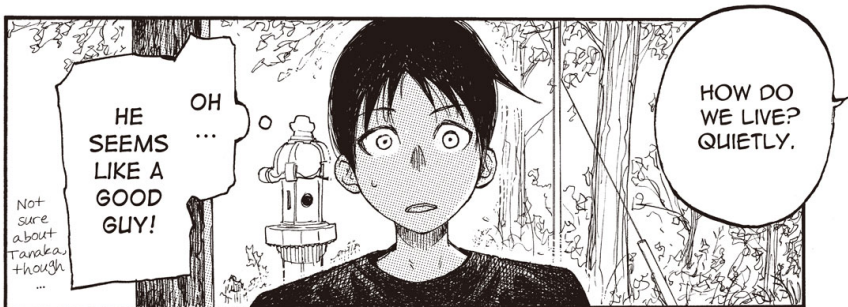


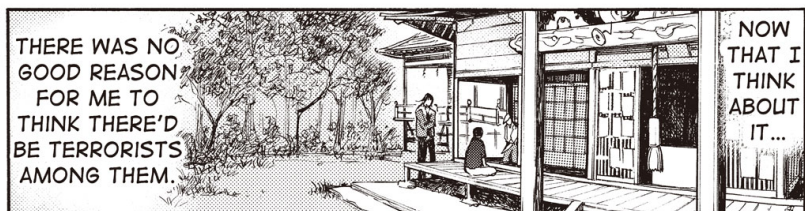
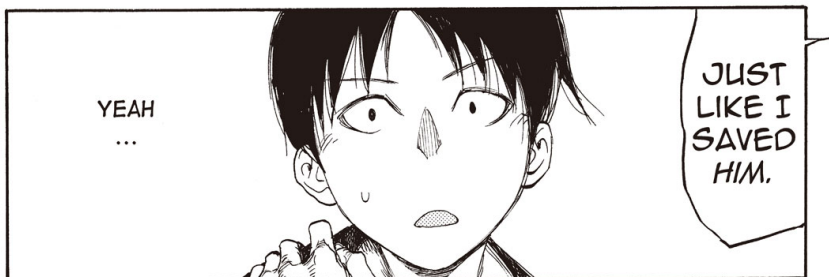


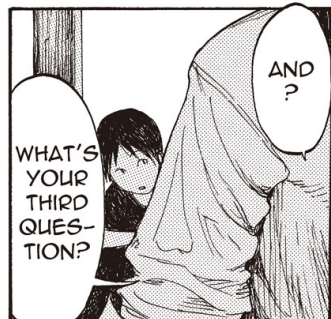
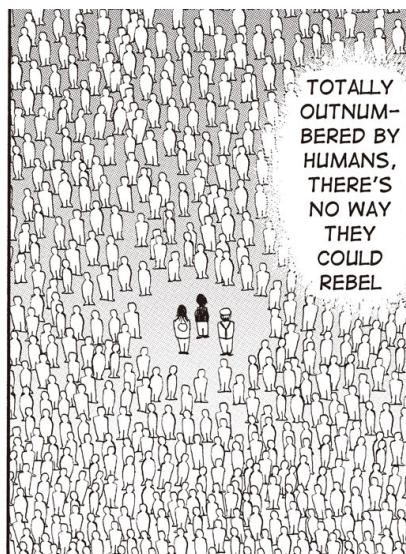


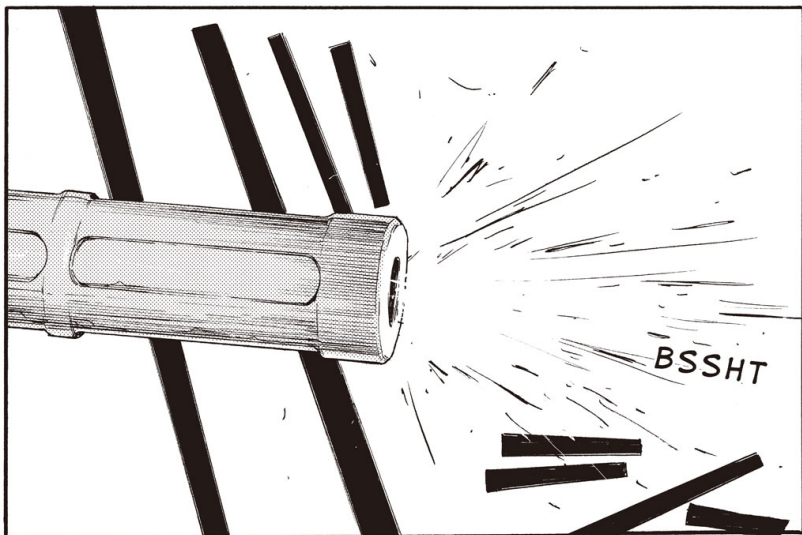


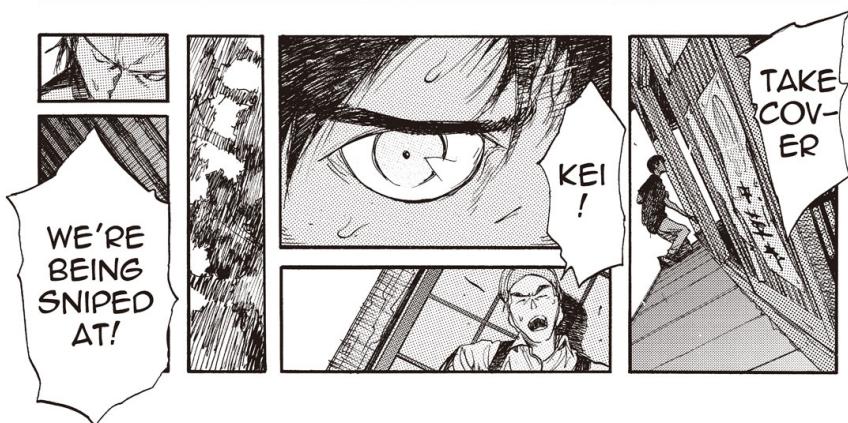
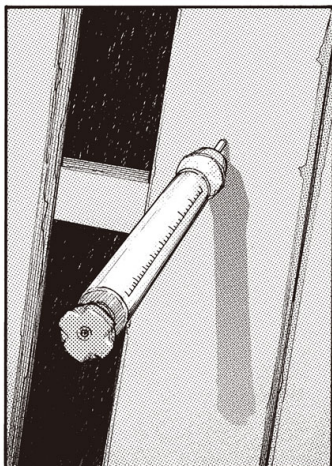




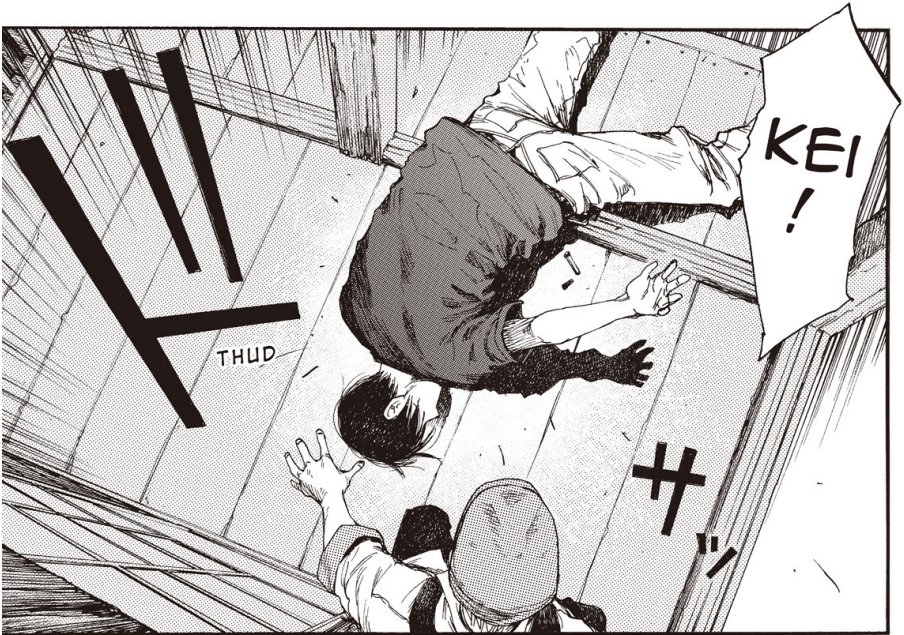
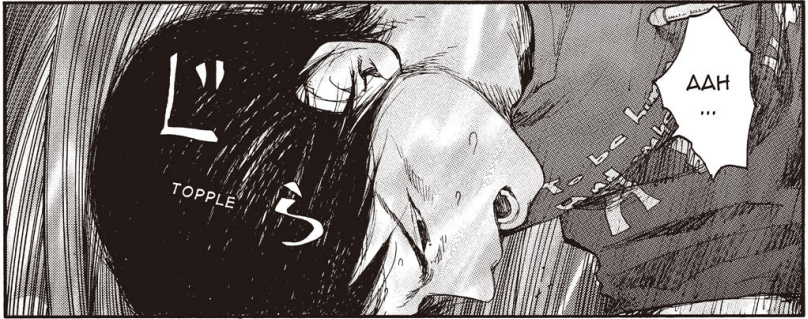


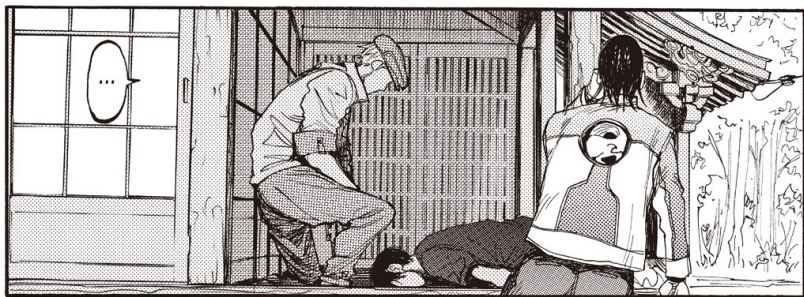


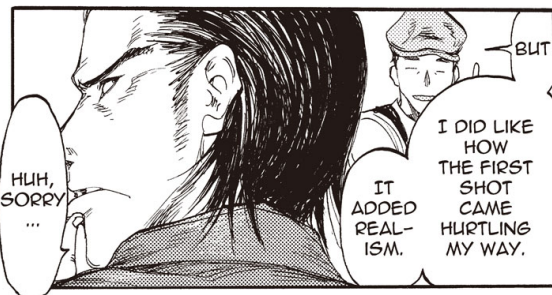
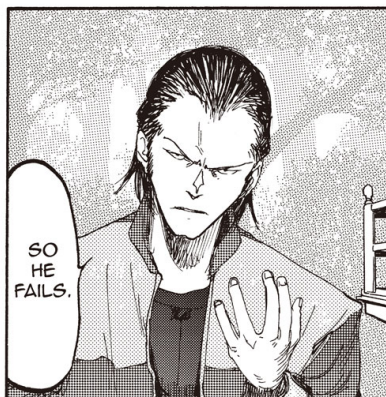
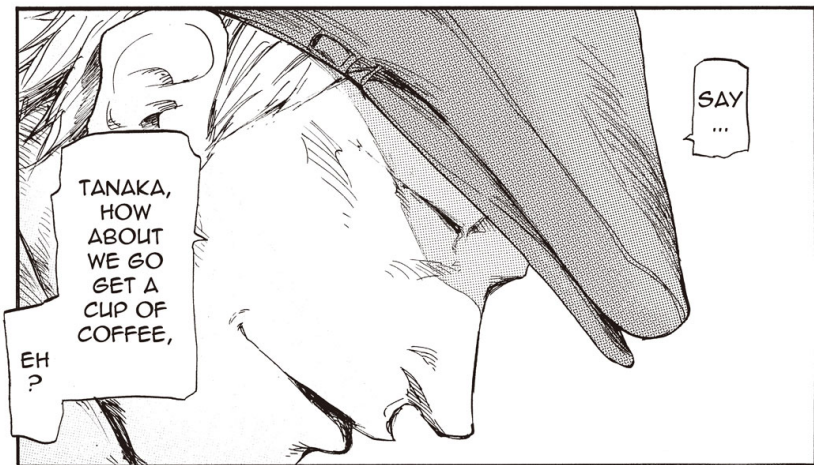


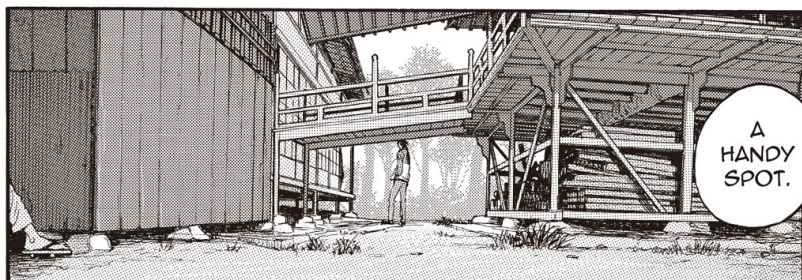
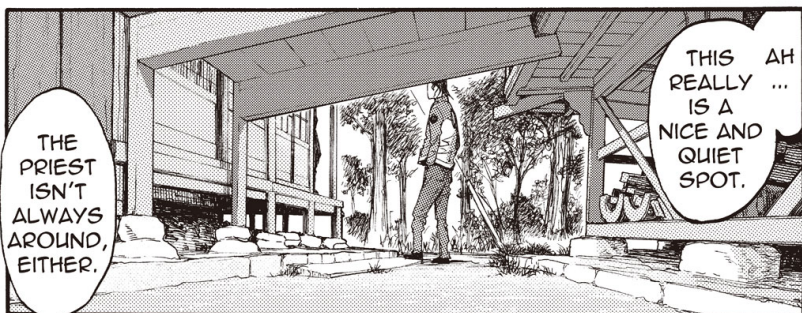


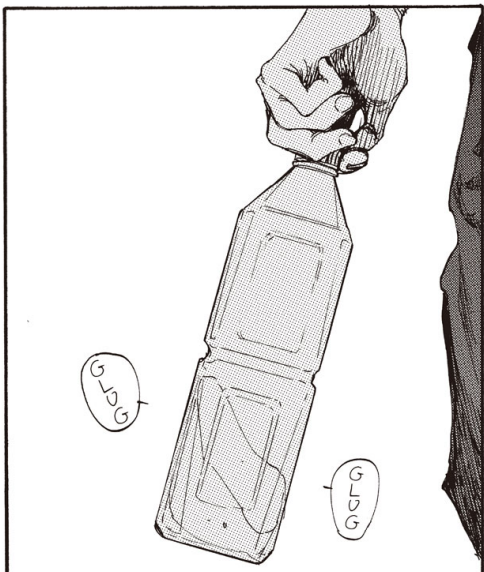
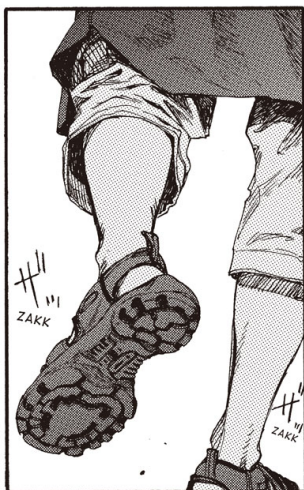


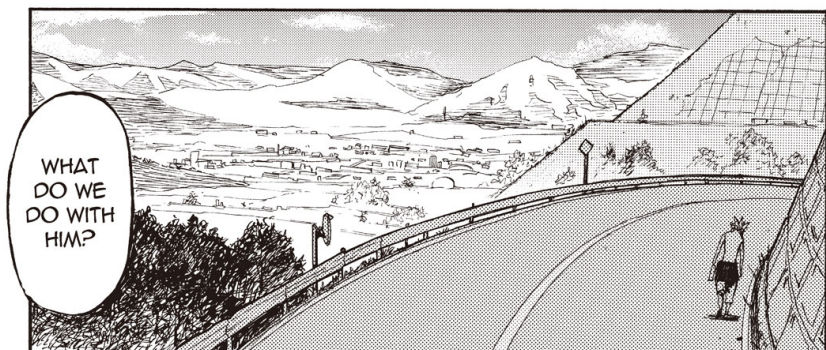


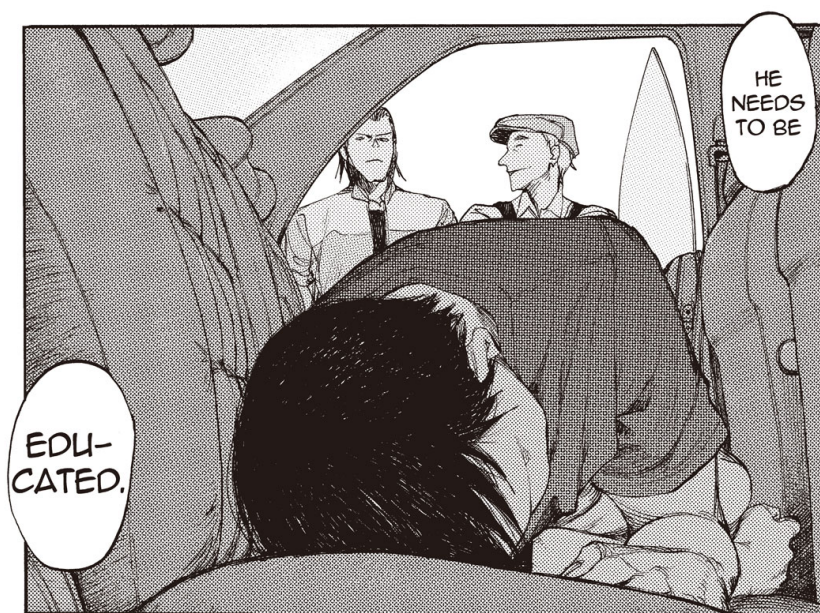


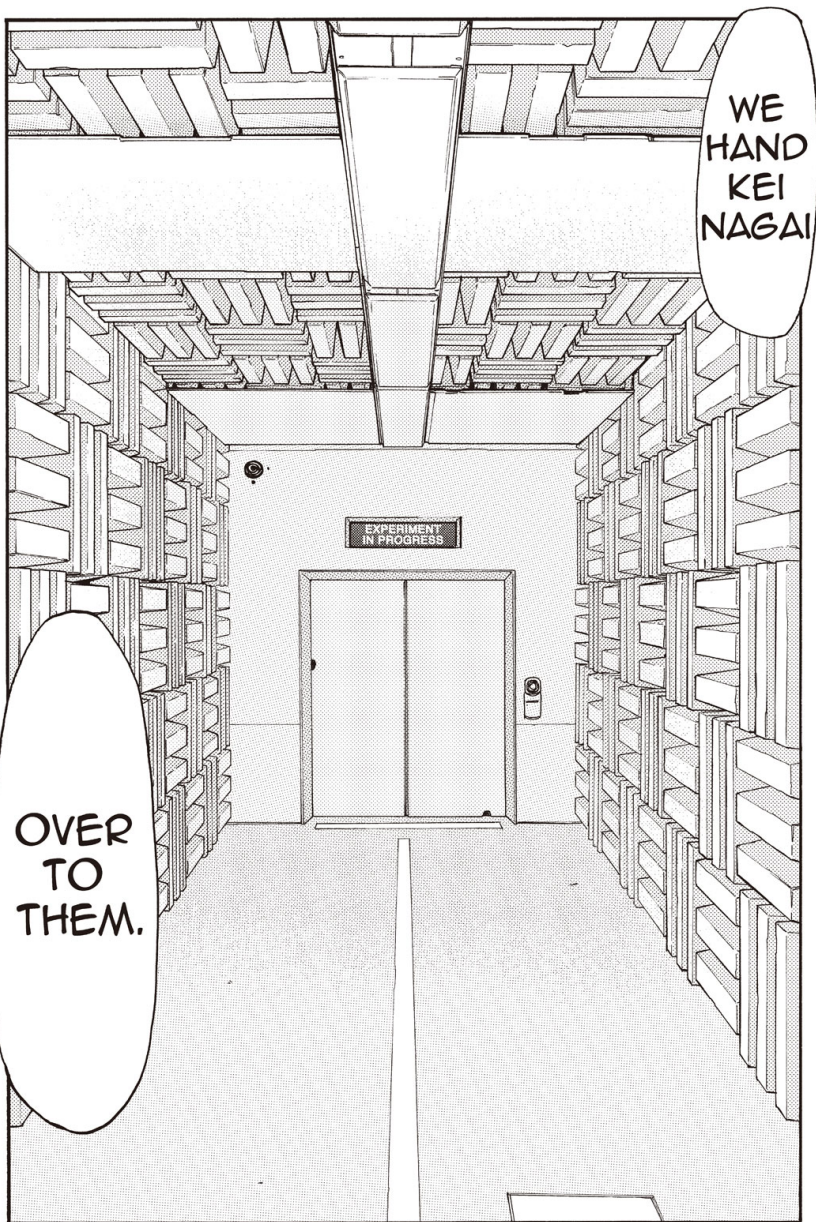


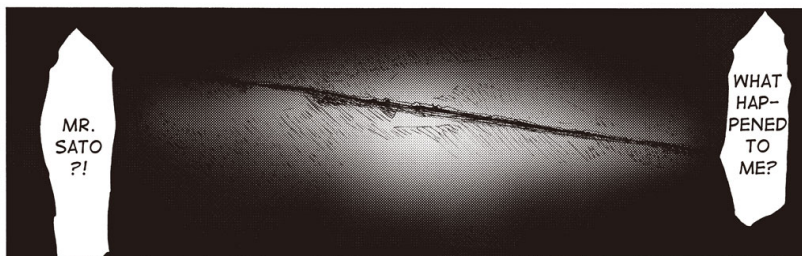
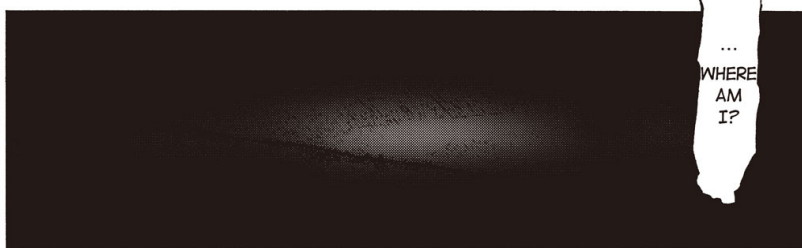


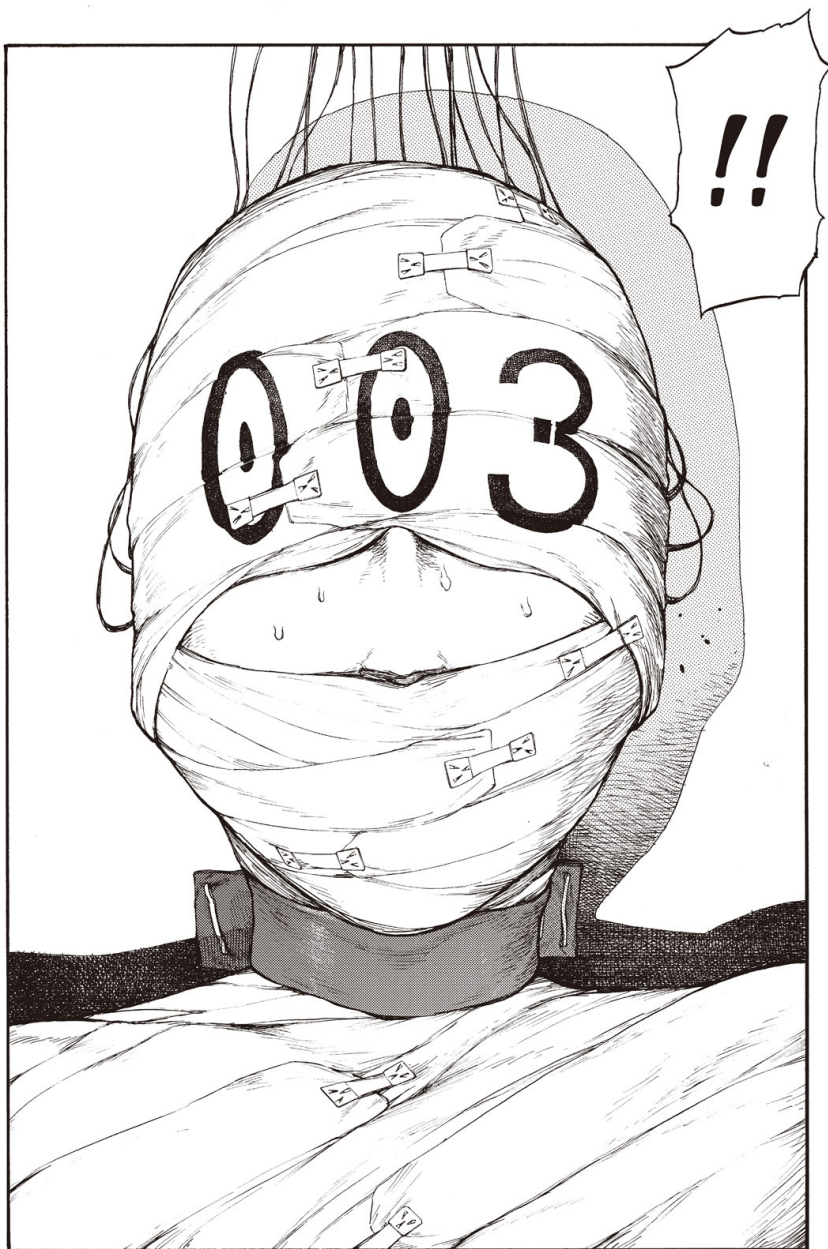




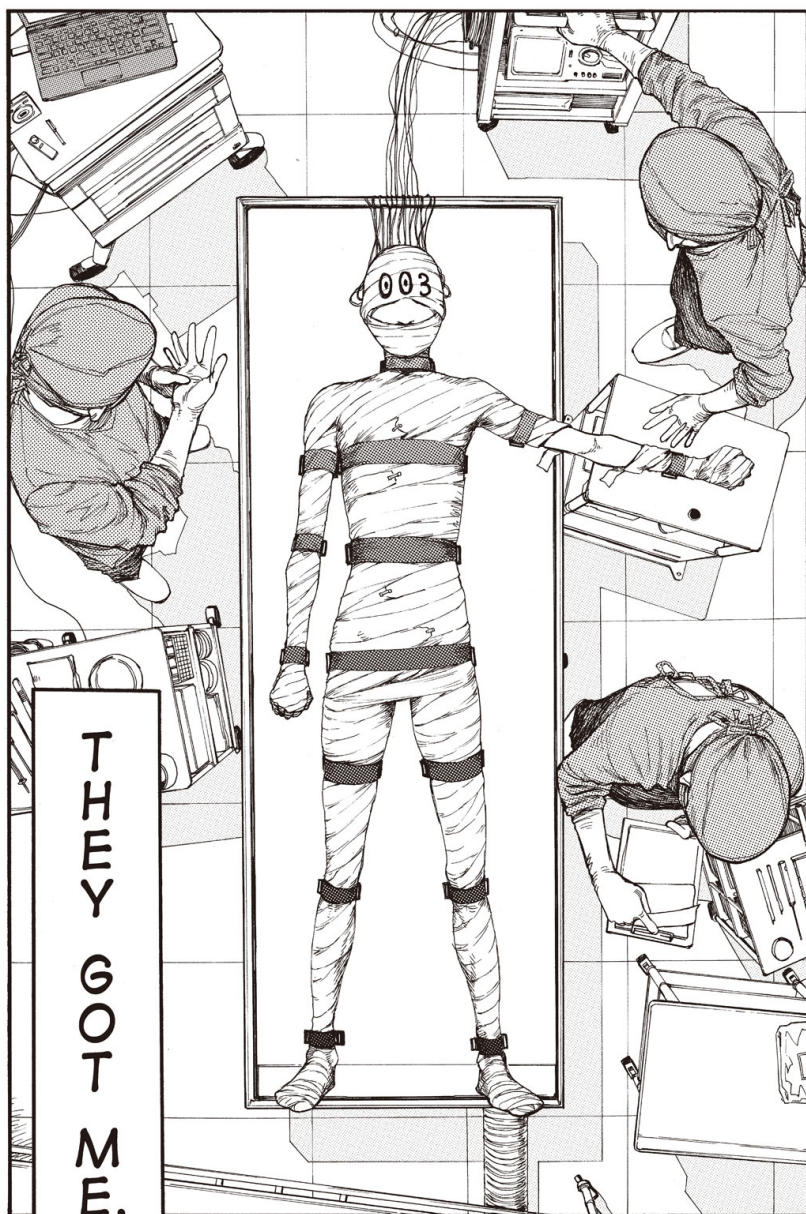




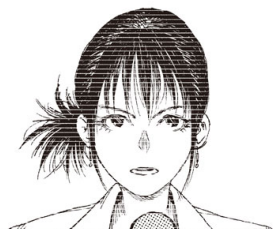




File 07: 003



REPORTS
OF THE
DEMI-HUMAN
KEI NAGAI'S
CAPTURE
HAVE



WE'RE
HERE
WITH
BREAK-
ING
NEWS

PERHAPS
HE KNEW
HE COULD
NOT RUN
FOREVER



I'D
SEEN
HIS
FACE
ON
THE
NEWS



Katsunuma
Precinct

HE LAY
THERE
ON THE
DOOR-
STEPS



OUR
SEGMENT
ON KEI
NAGAI'S
DAYS AS

STAY
TUNED
FOR

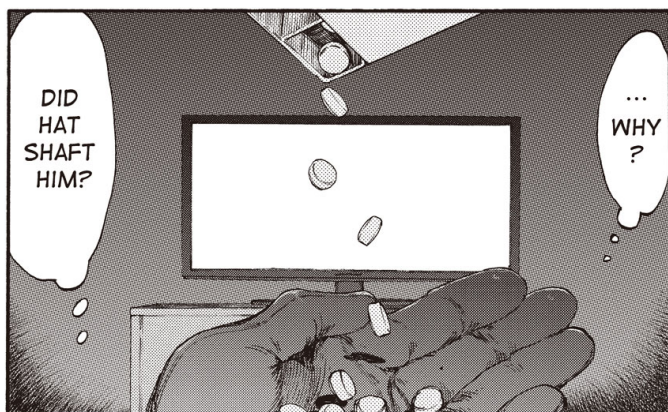


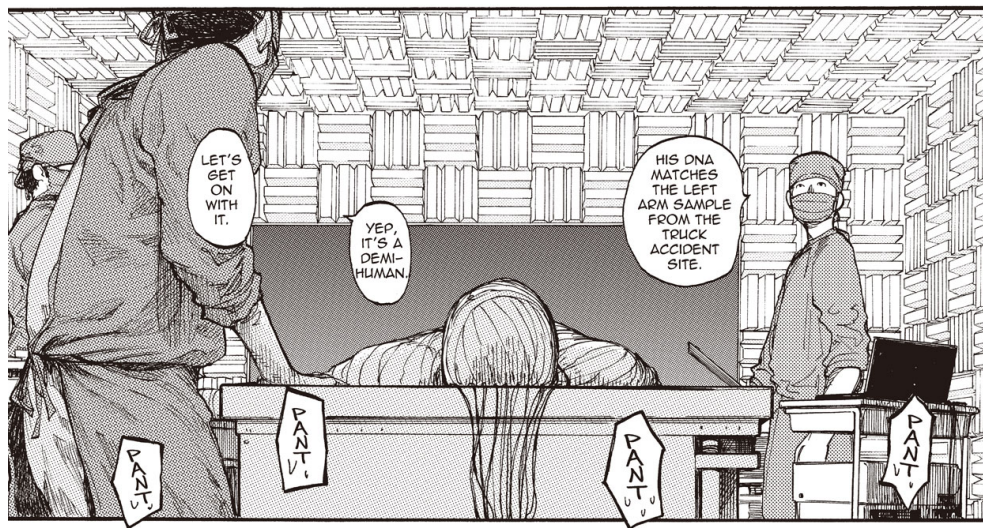
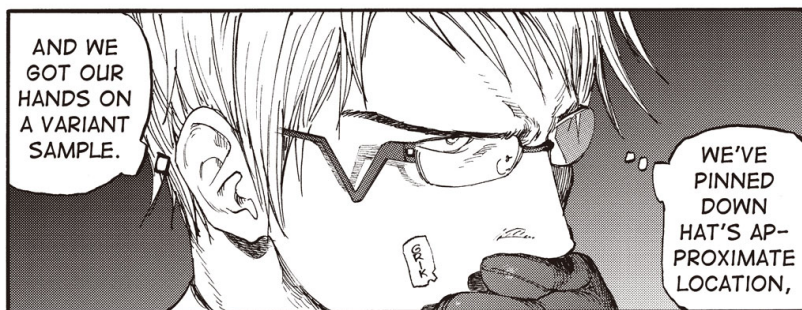
AS
A
CLASS-
MATE
OF HIS,
YOU
SEE

BE
THAT
AS
IT
MAY
...

DID
HAT
SHAFT
HIM?

...
WHY
?

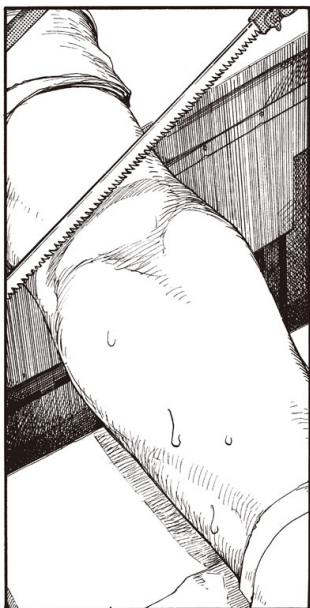




THIS ISN'T AT ALL LIKE MY THROAT FEELING SORE...

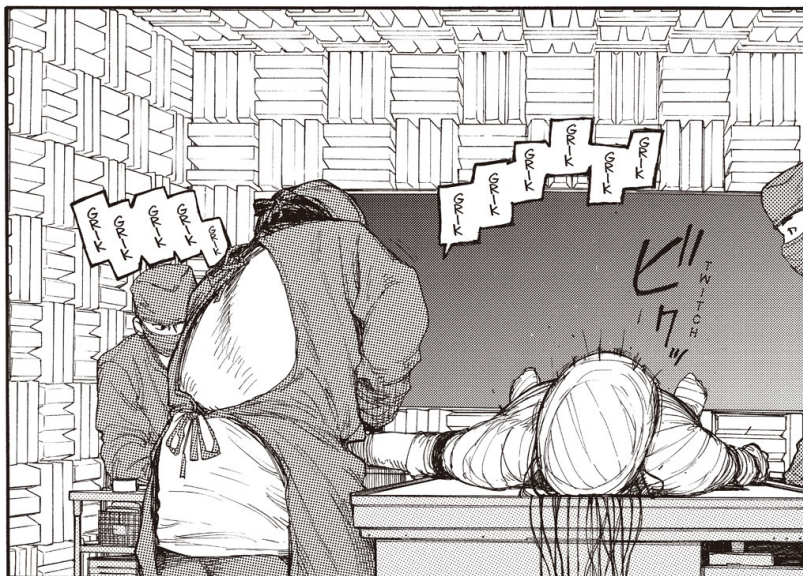
I CAN'T TALK?!





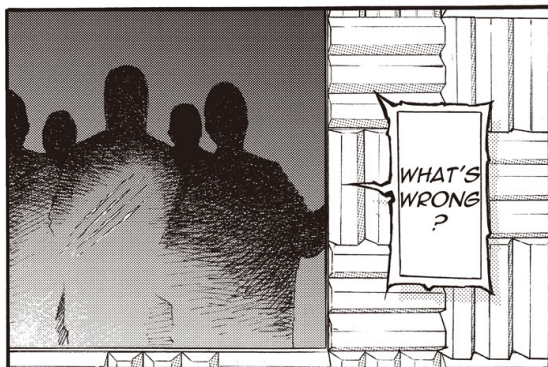
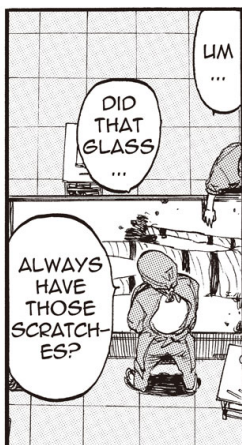
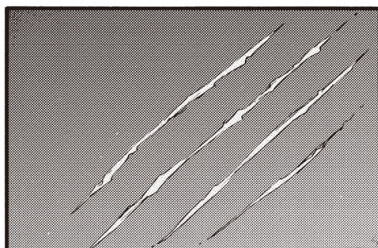
THEY
SEVERED

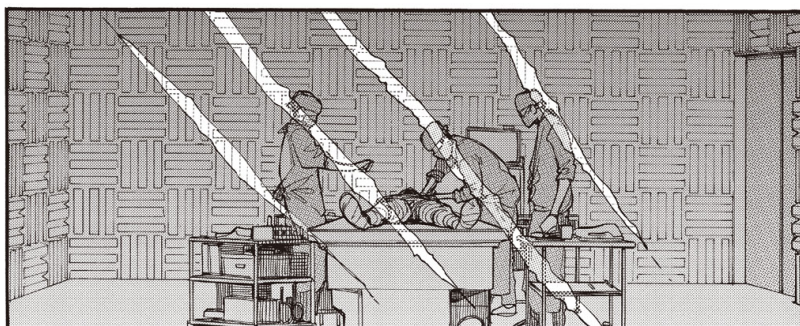
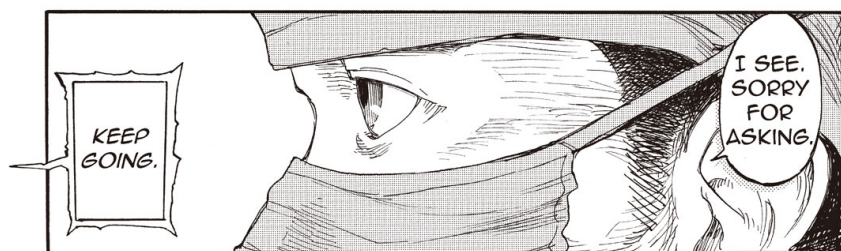
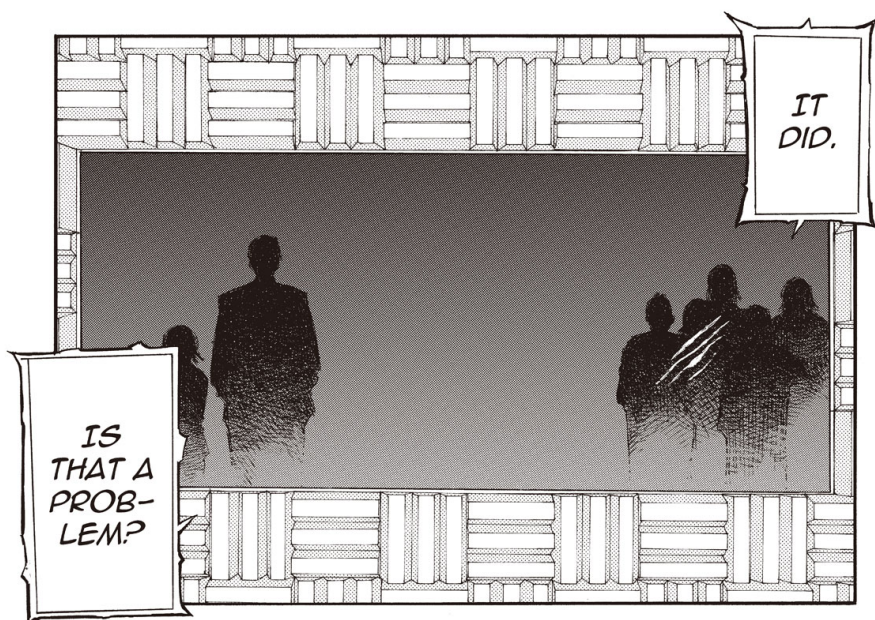
MY VOCAL CORDS ?!

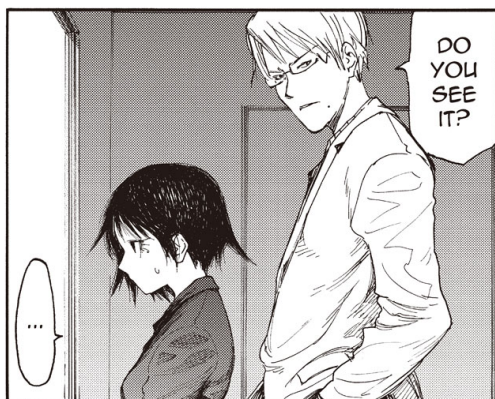
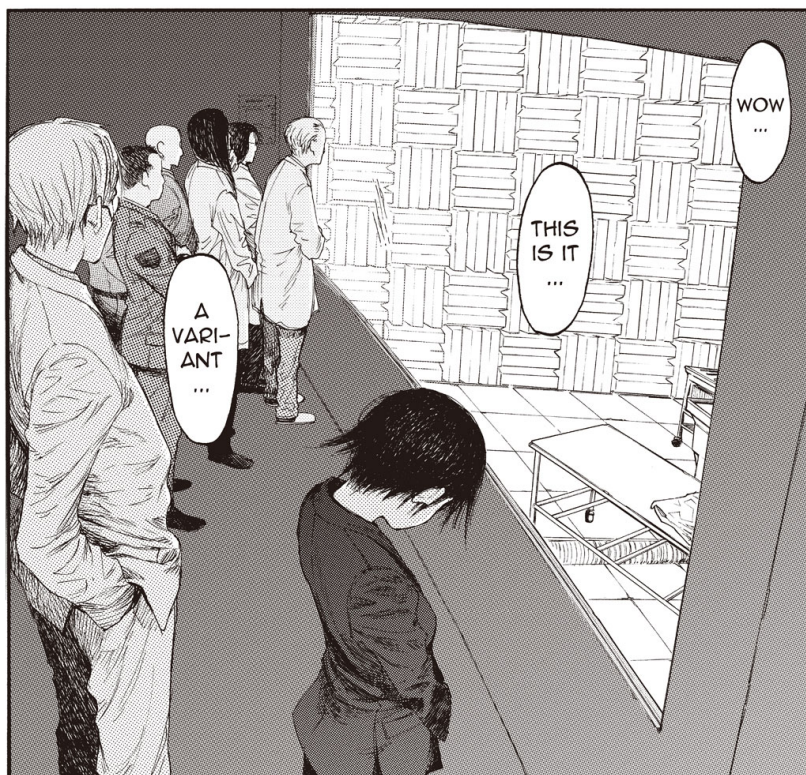


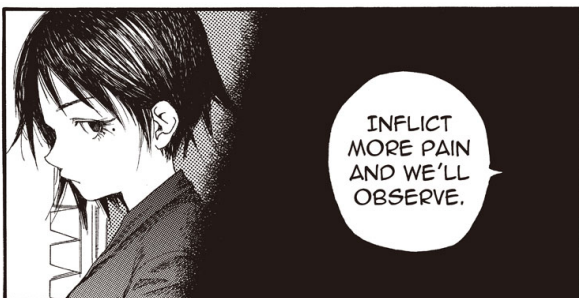
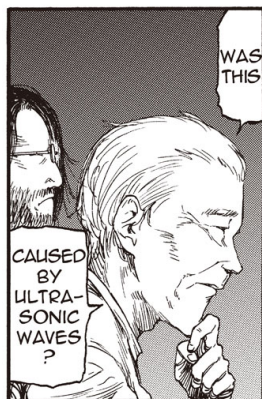
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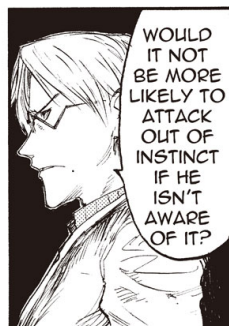
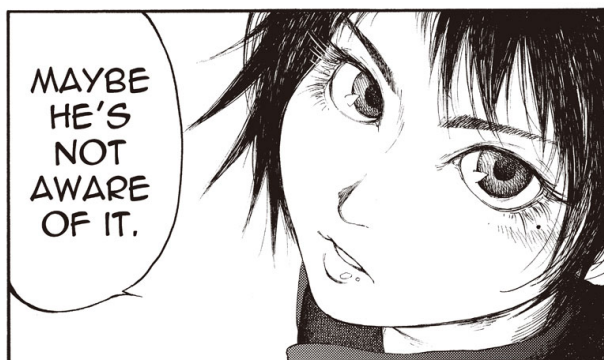
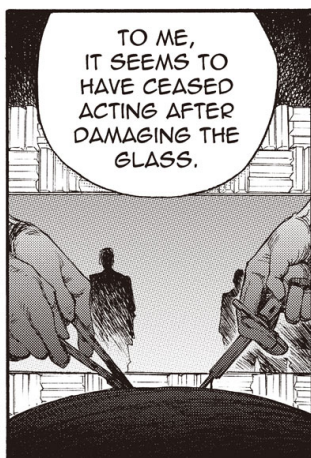








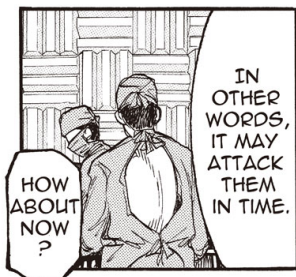






IS
PERHAPS
HIGHLY
TENUOUS.

HIS LINK
TO THE
BLACK
GHOST



HOW
ABOUT
NOW ?

IN
OTHER
WORDS,
IT MAY
ATTACK
THEM
IN TIME.



THINK
OF IT AS
MAKING
A PHONE
CALL IN
AN AREA
WITH
POOR
RECEP-
TION.



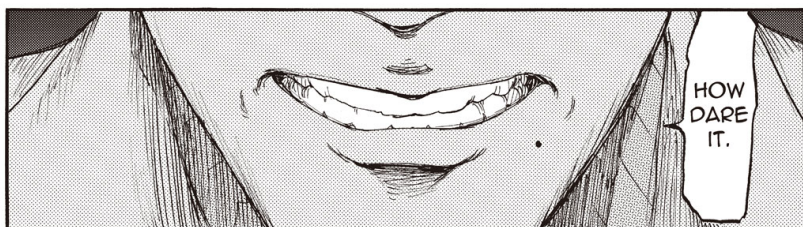
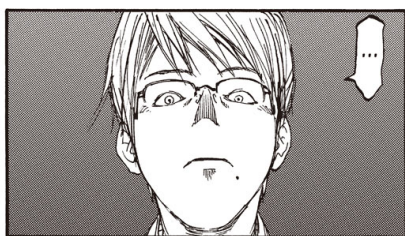
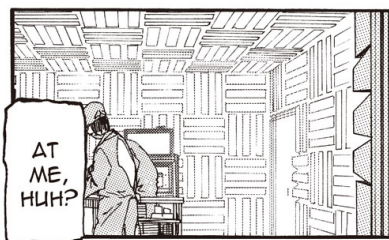
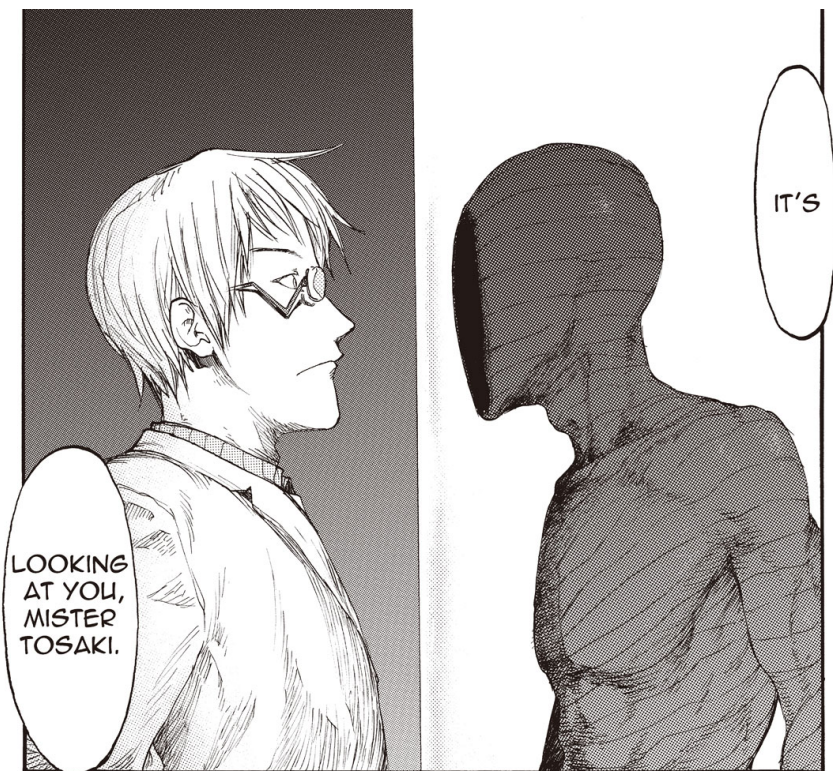
UM
...

RIGHT...
NOW
?



WHERE
IS IT
NOW,
AND
WHAT
IS IT
DOING
?

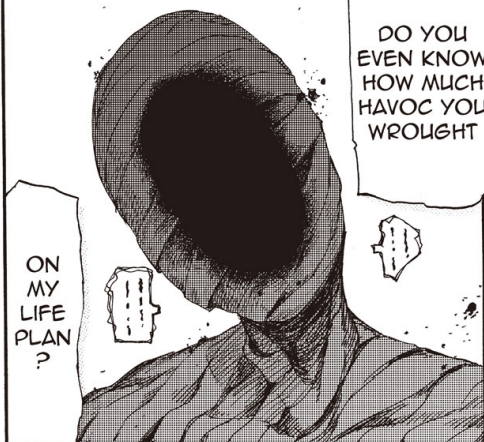
HM
?





DON'T
LOOK
AWAY,
SHIMO-
MURA.

ON
MY
LIFE
PLAN
?

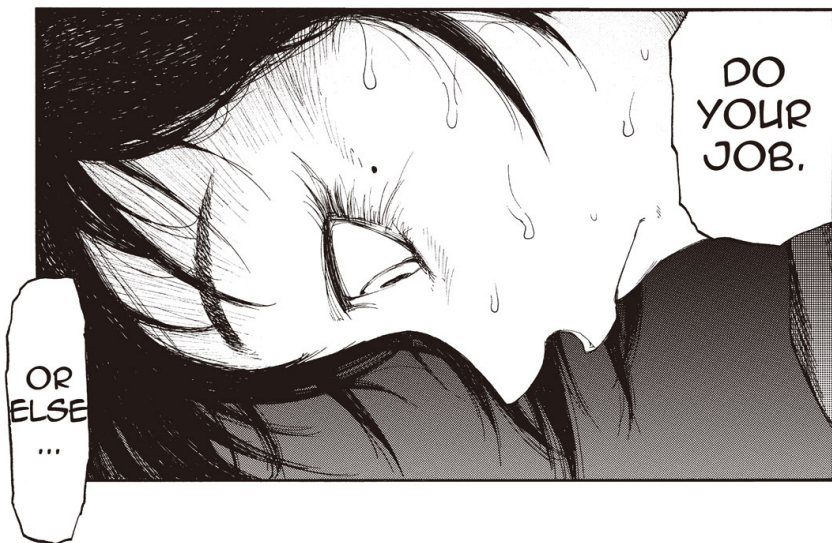


DO YOU
EVEN KNOW
HOW MUCH
HAVOC YOU
WROUGHT



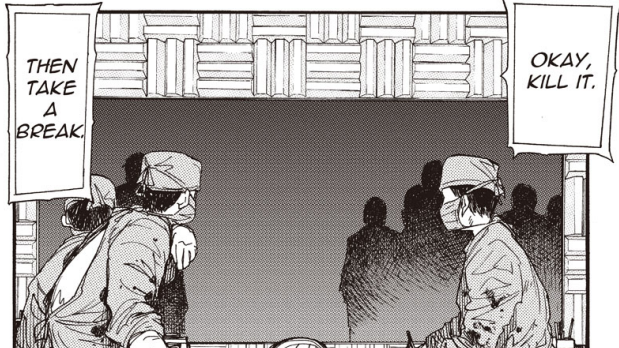
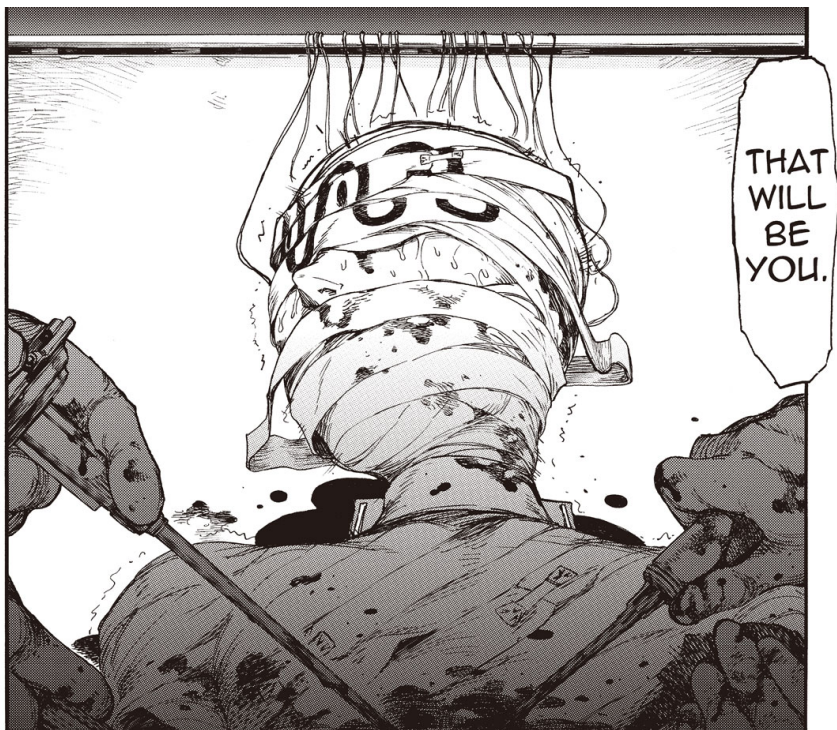
IS THAT
I BOTHER
TO KEEP
YOU A
SECRET.

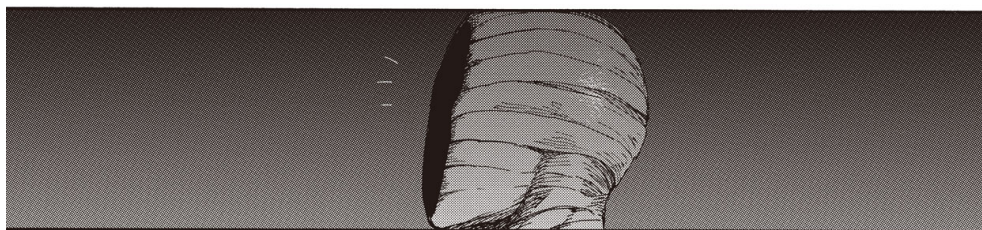
THE ONLY
REASON YOU
ARE ON THIS
SIDE OF THE
GLASS...

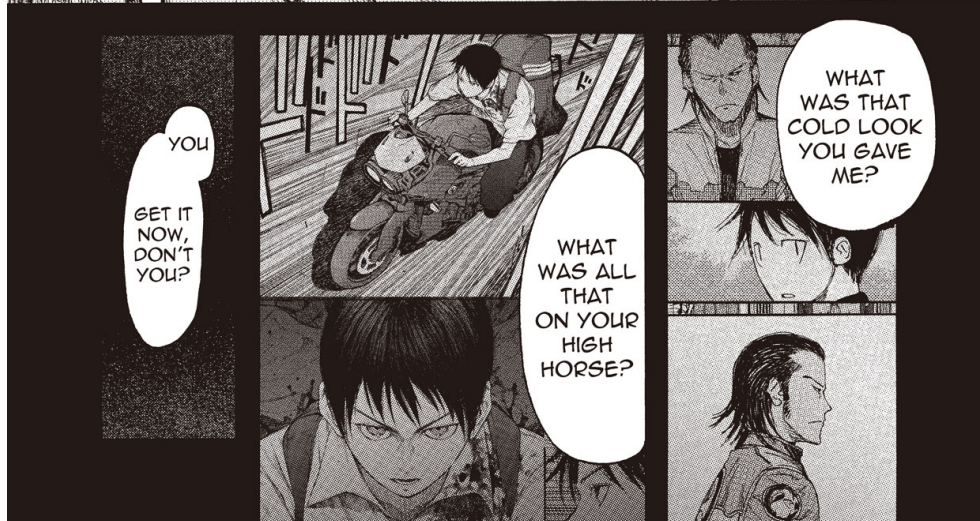
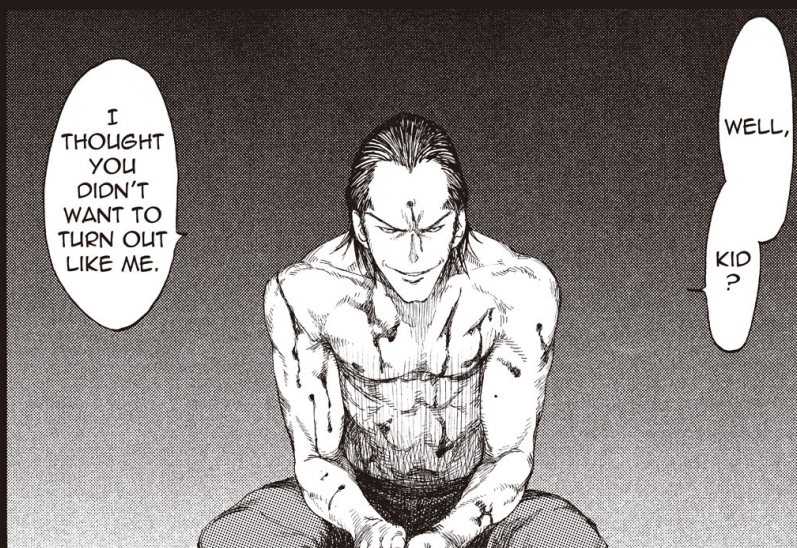


DO
YOUR
JOB.

OR
ELSE
...









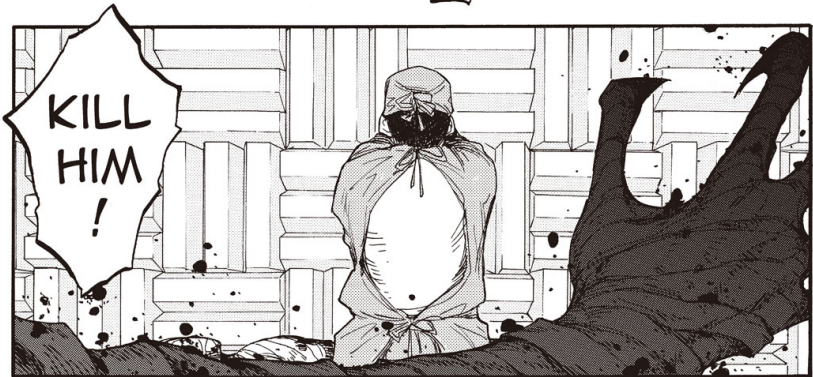
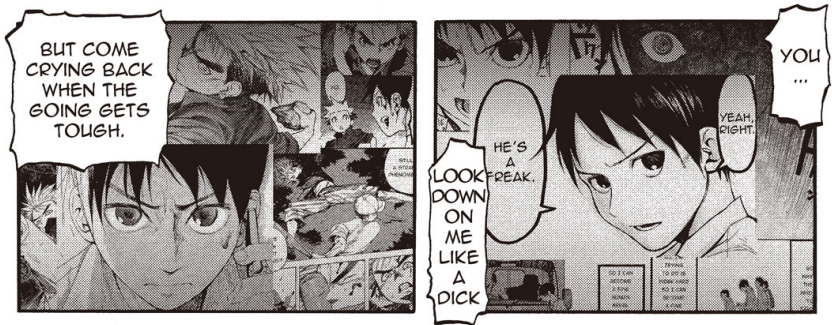
DIDN'T
KNOW
WHAT
HELL
FEELS
LIKE.

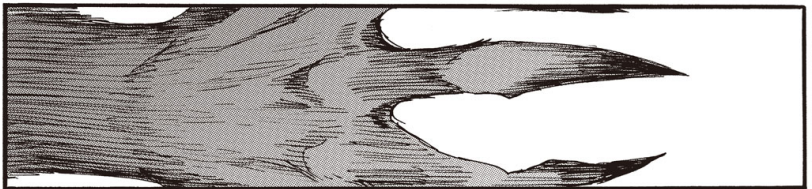
YOU
WERE
JUST
ACTING
TOUGH
WHEN
YOU



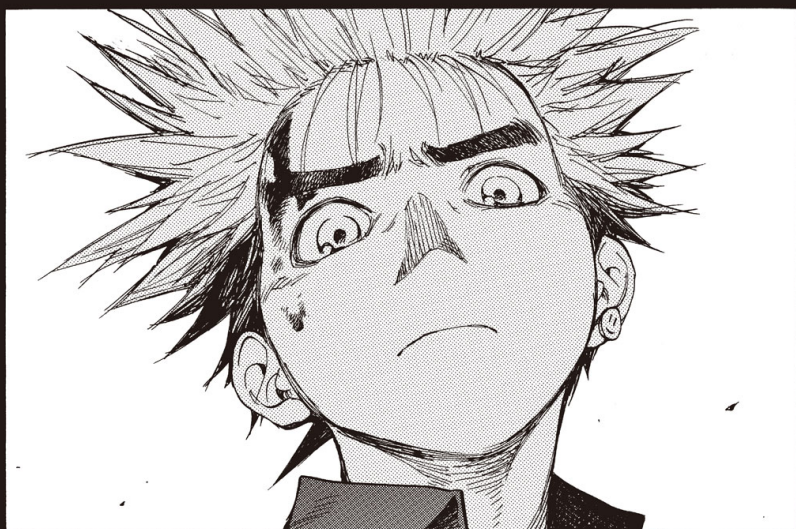
THE
REAL
YOU!

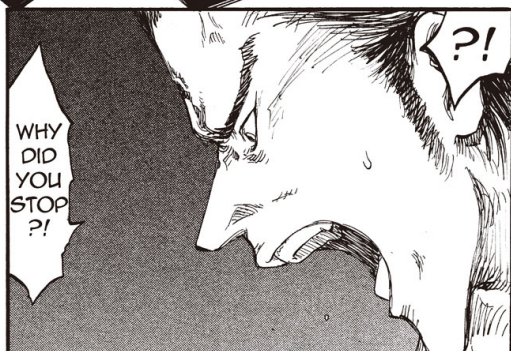
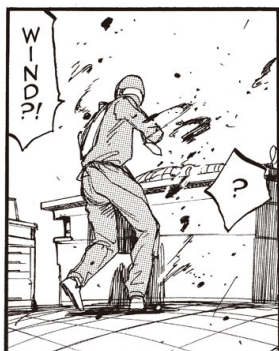
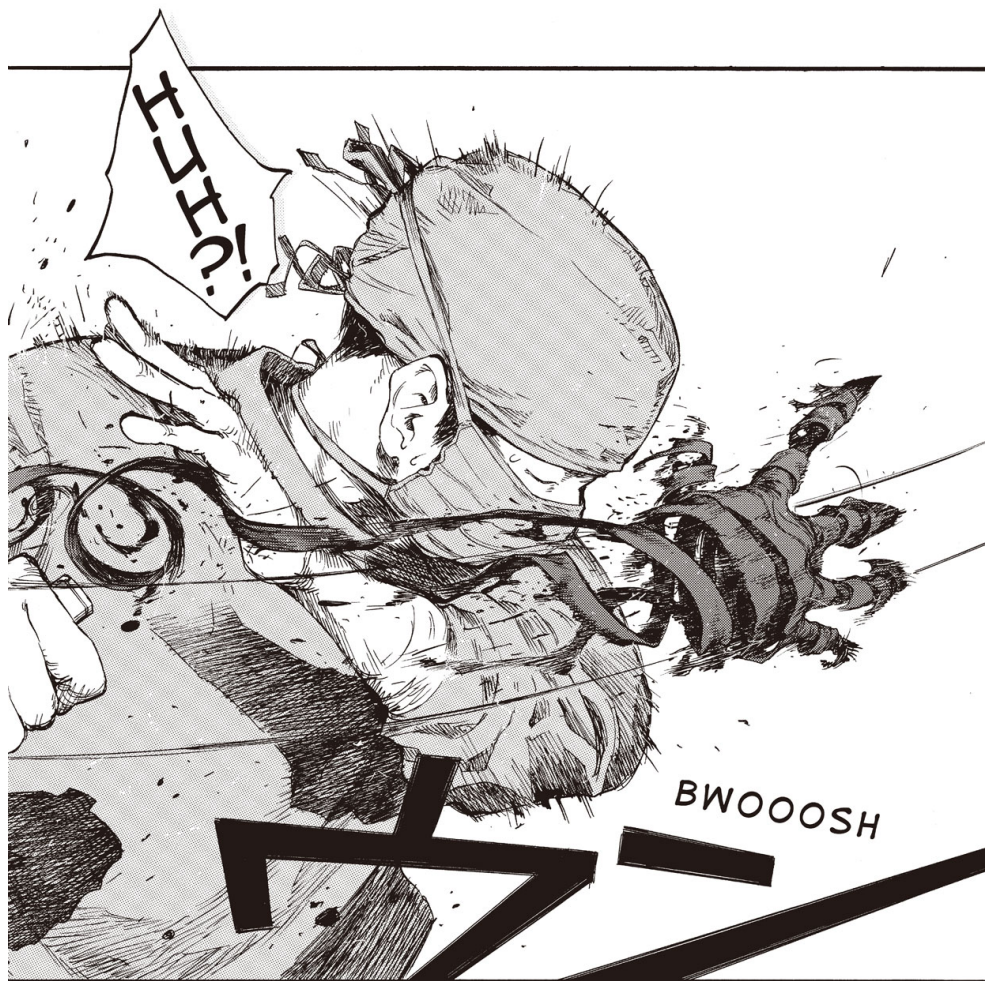
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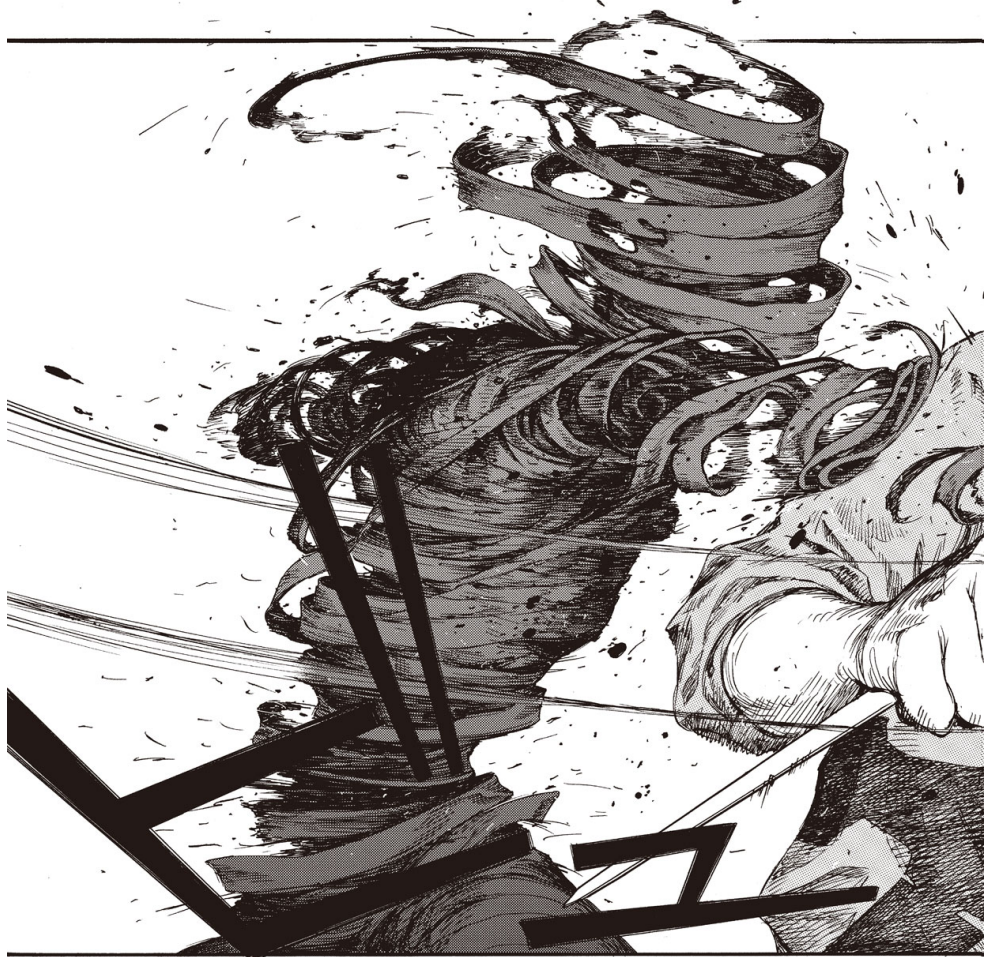












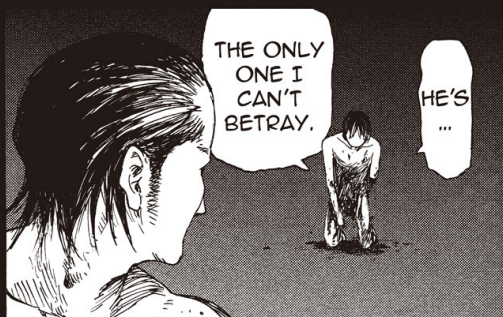
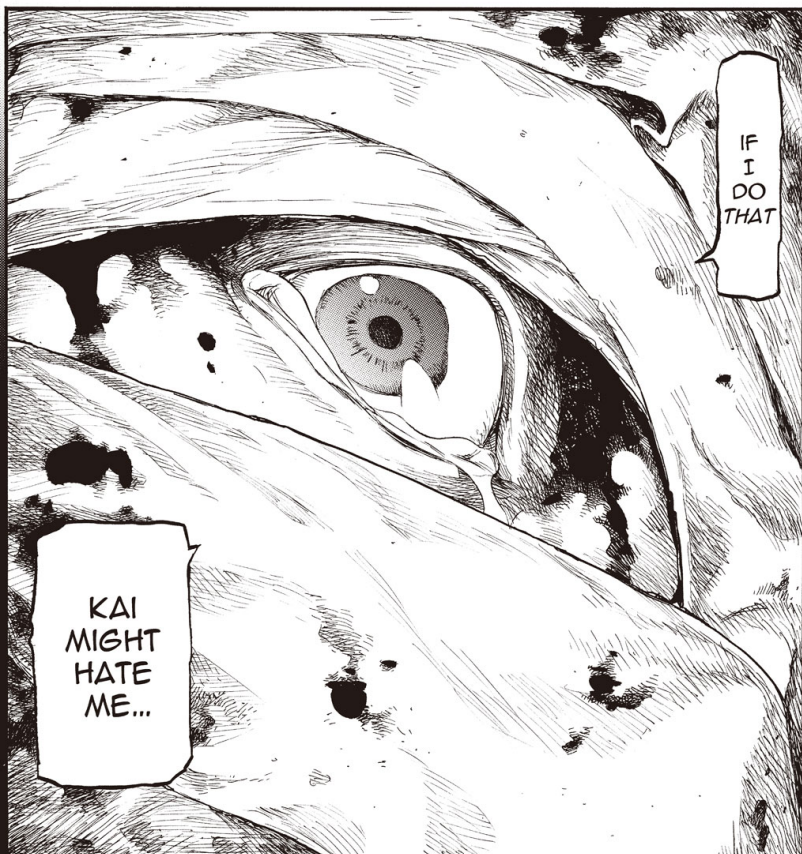
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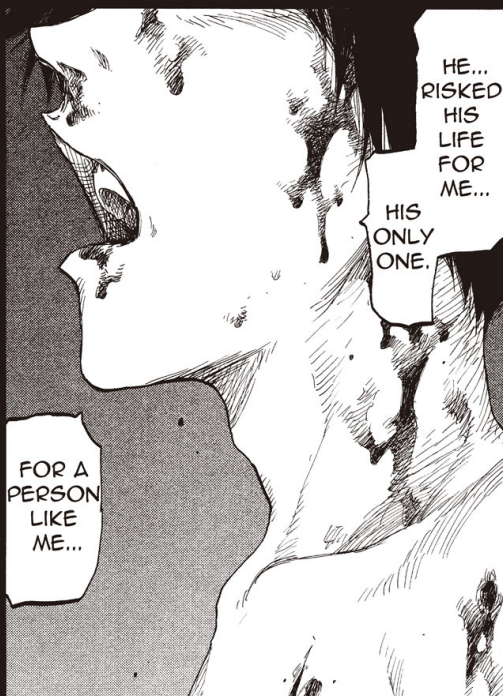
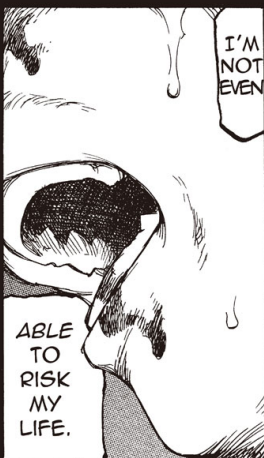
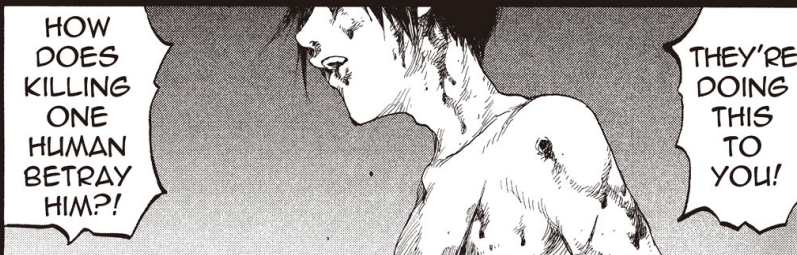
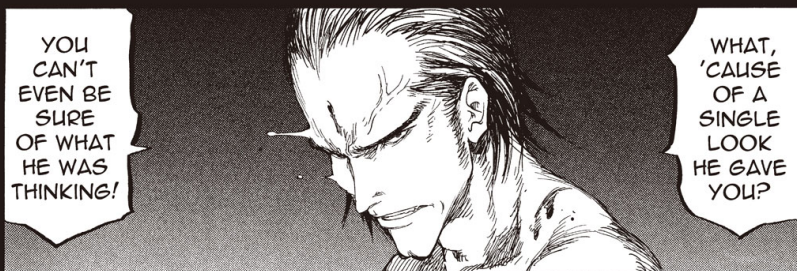


ACT FOR
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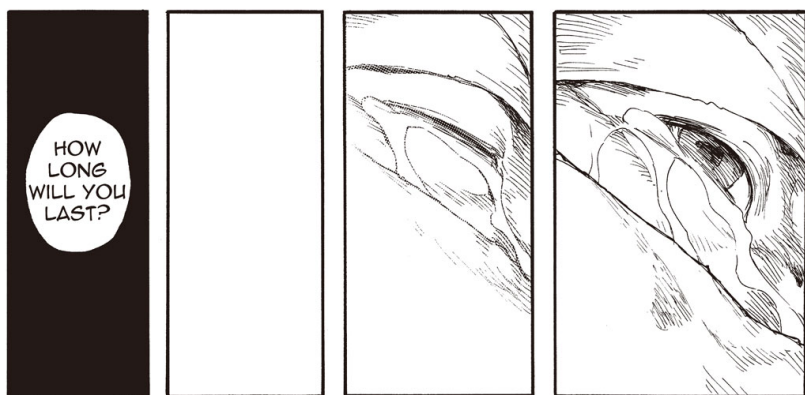


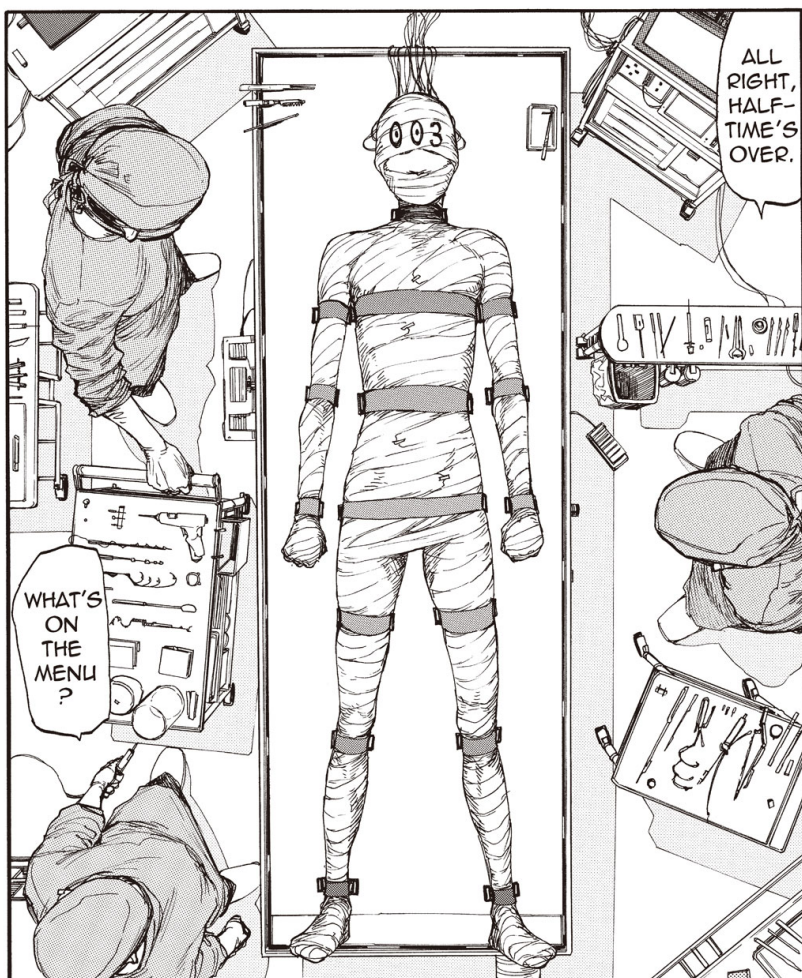
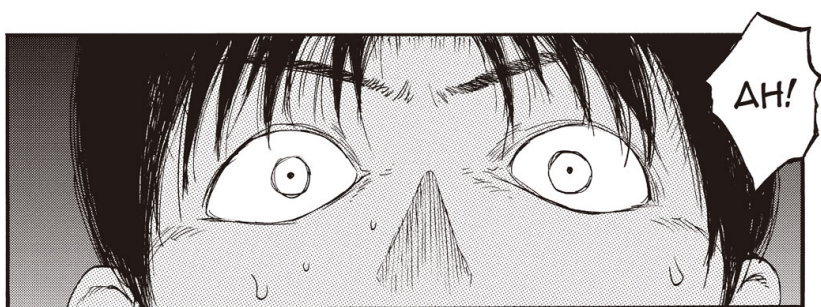


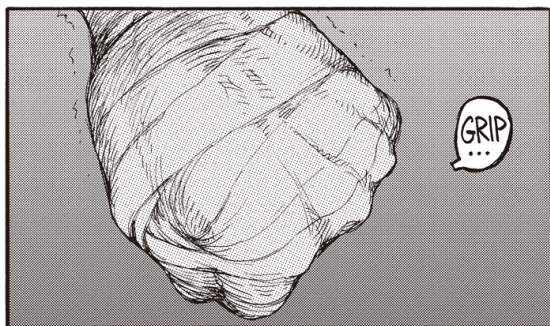
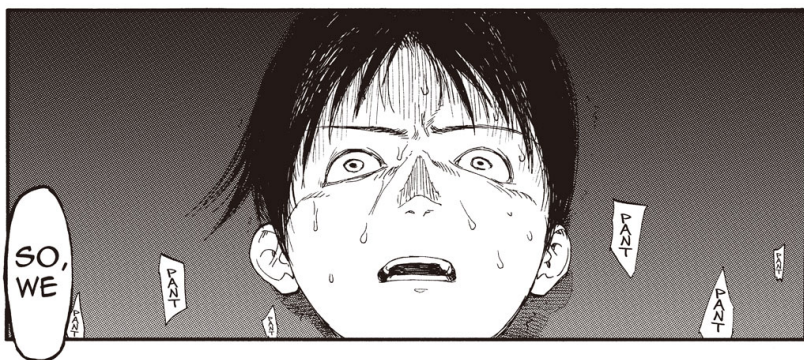
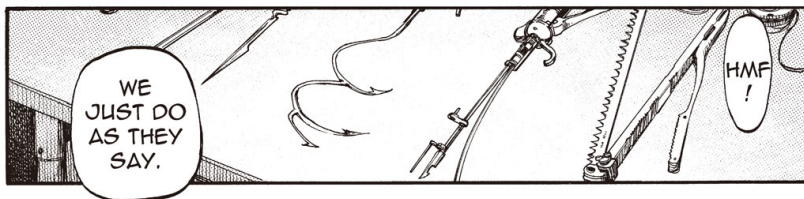
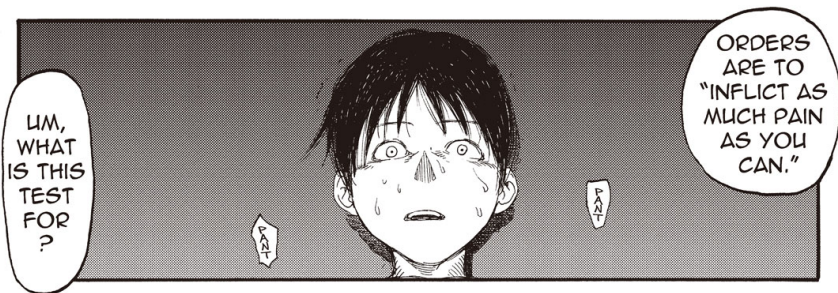


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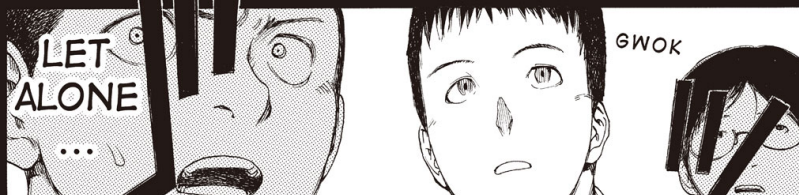
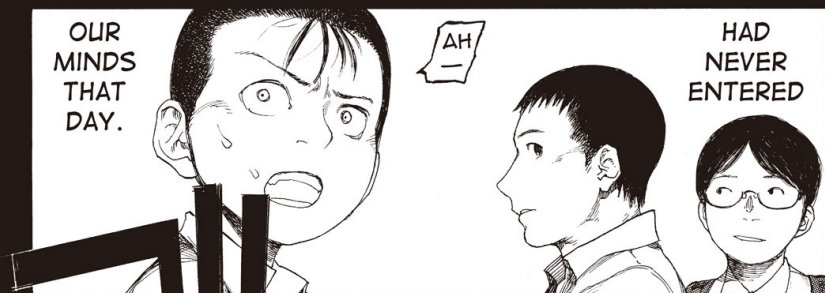
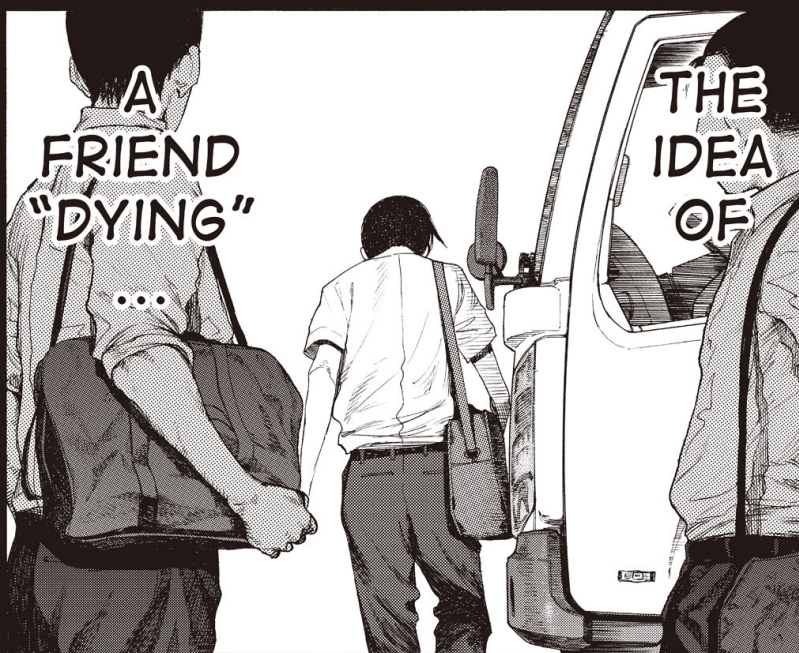
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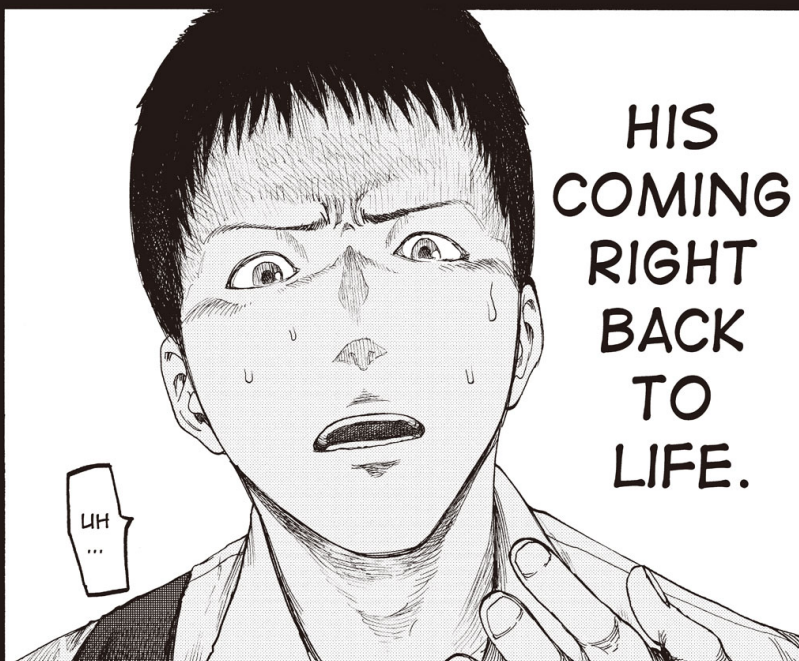




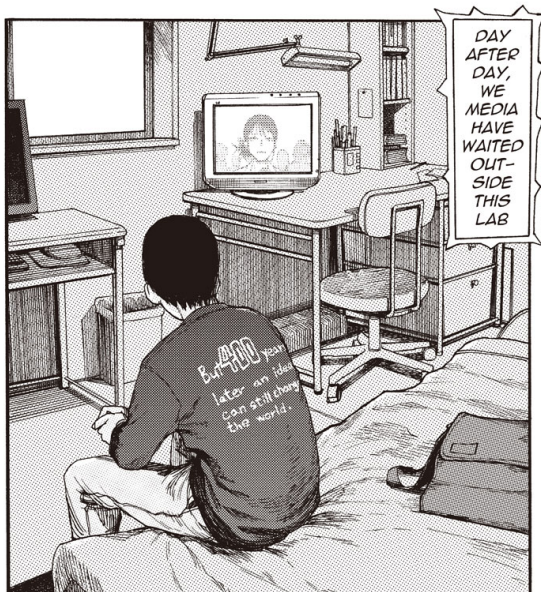
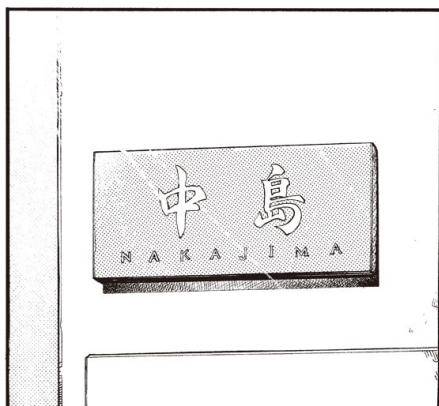


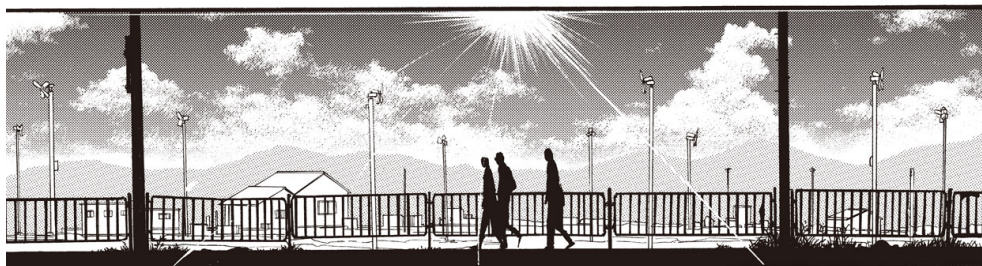


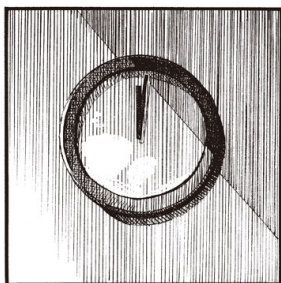




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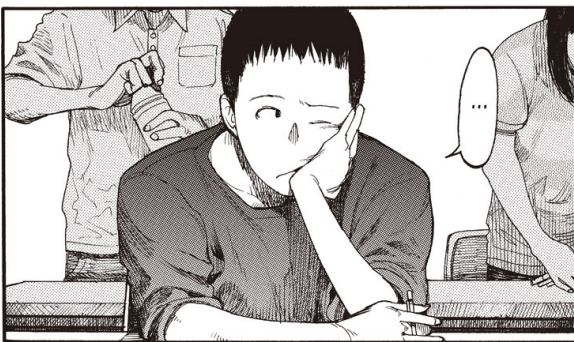
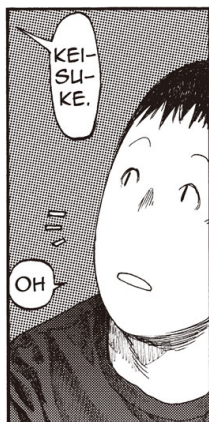
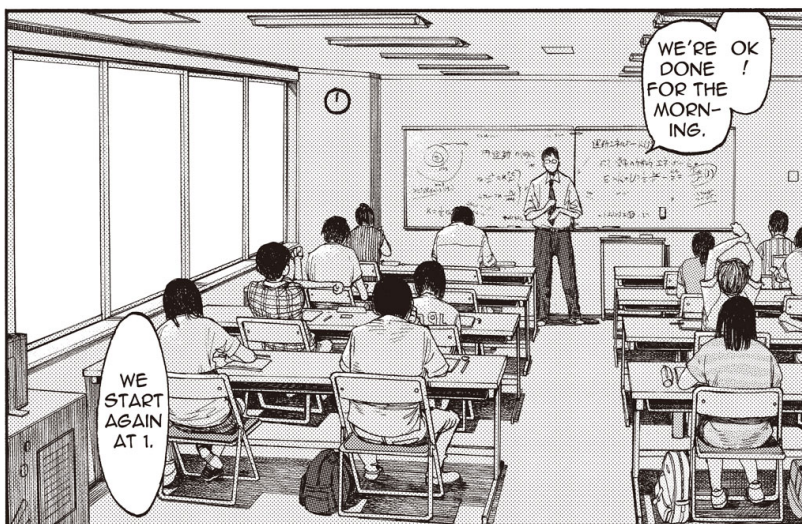


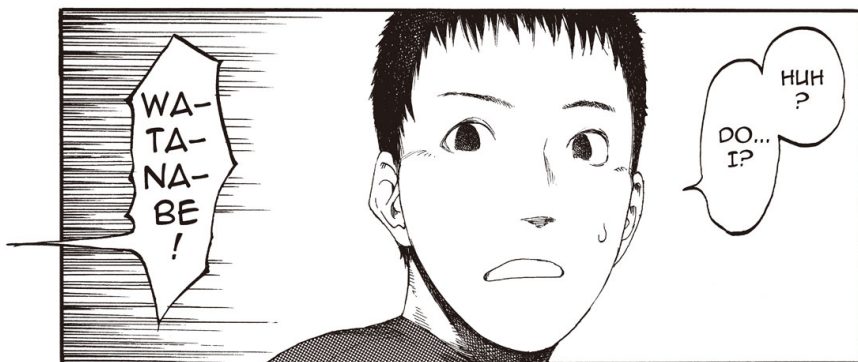


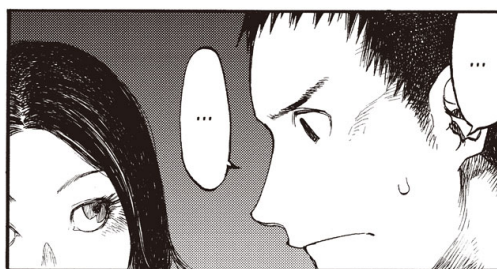
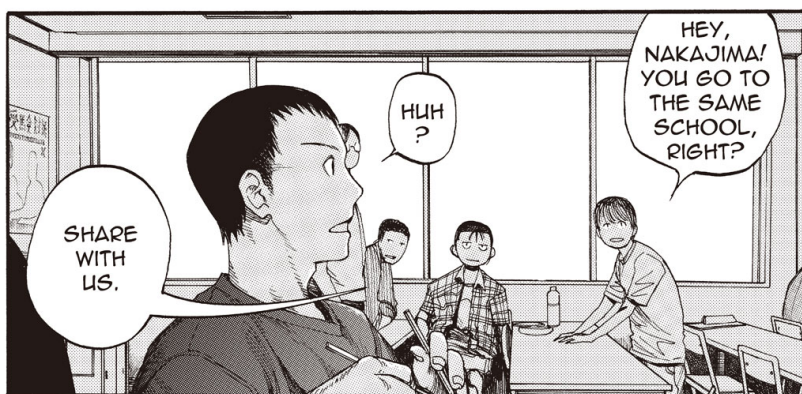
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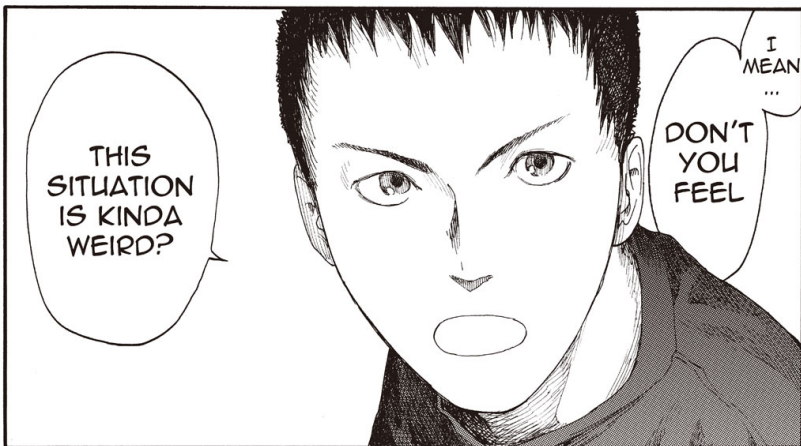
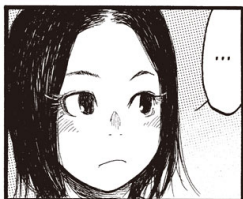
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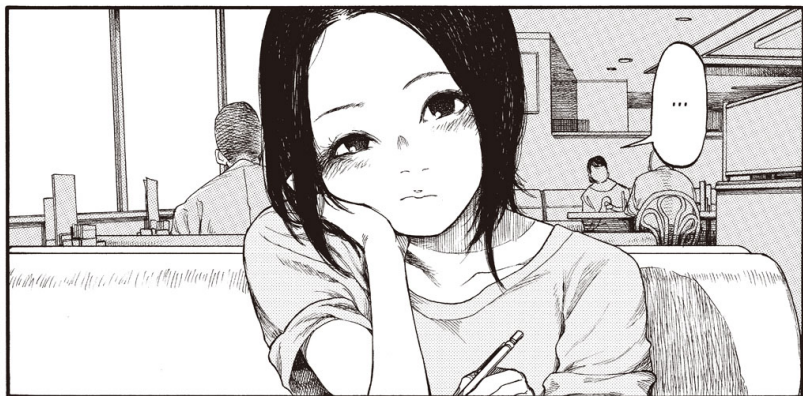
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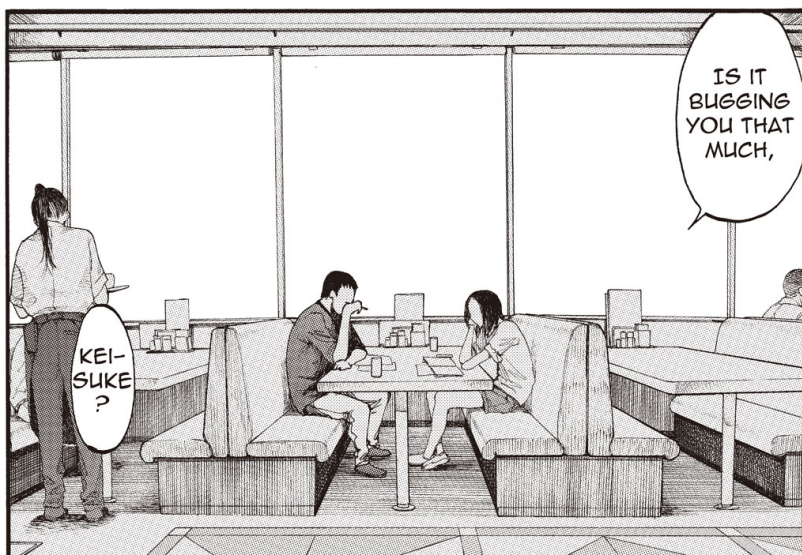


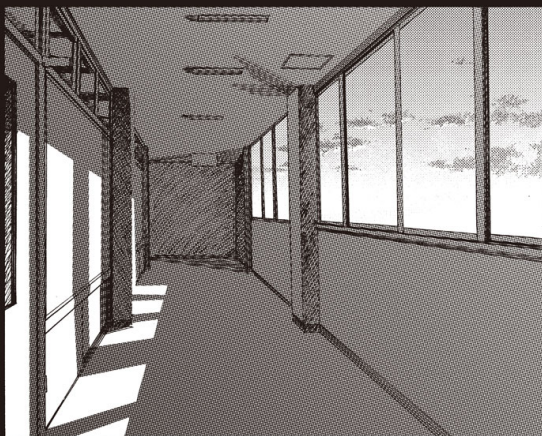
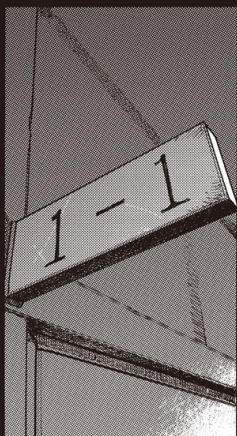


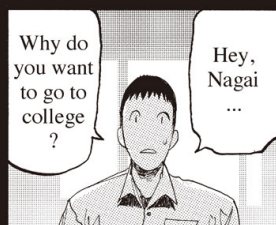
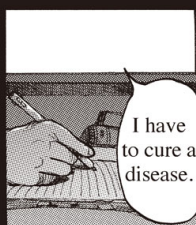
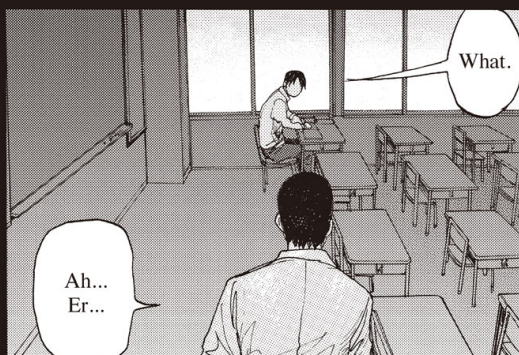


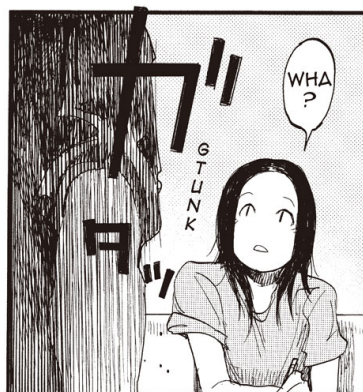
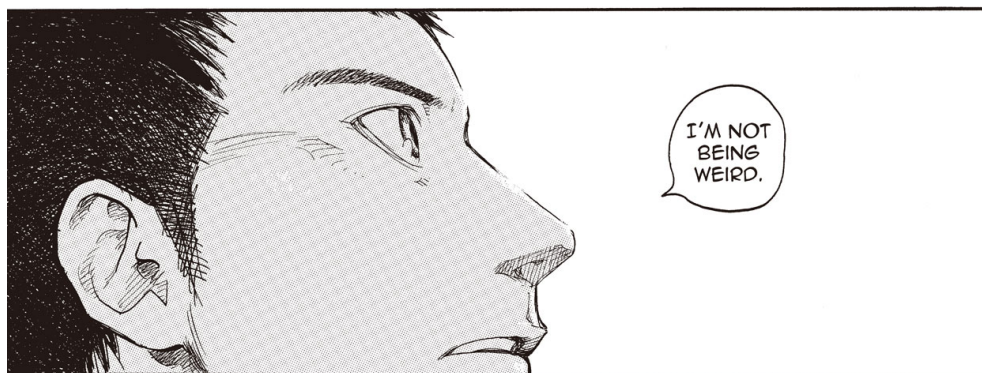


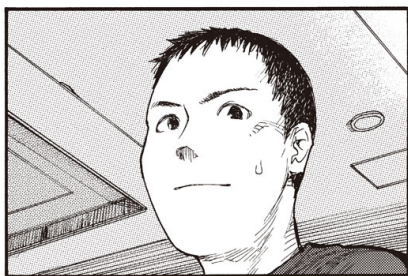
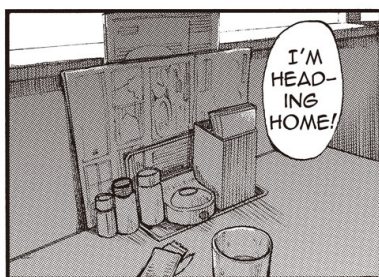
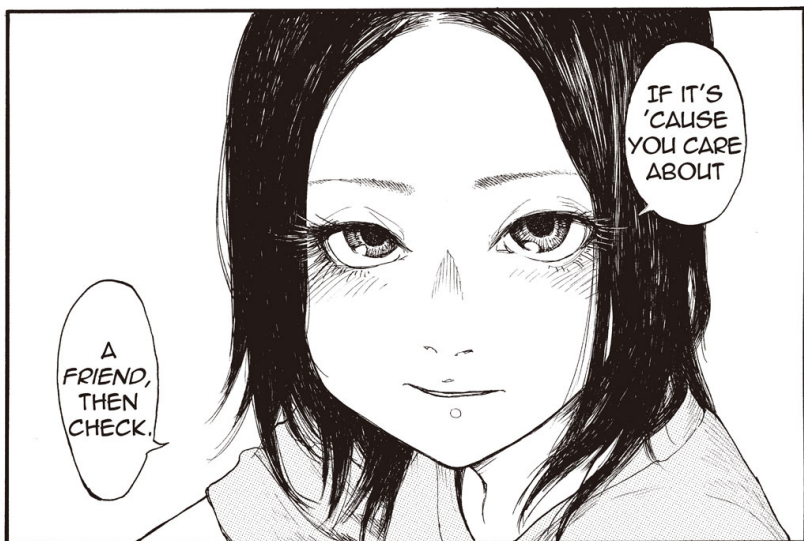
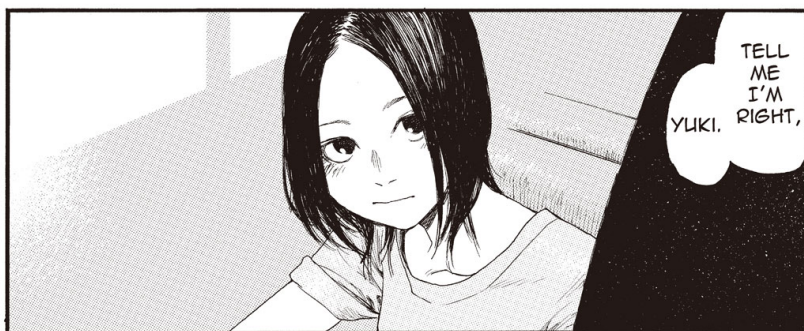


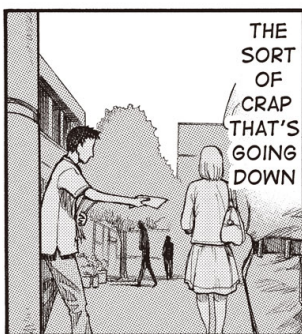
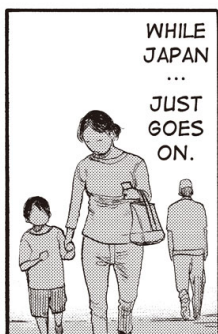
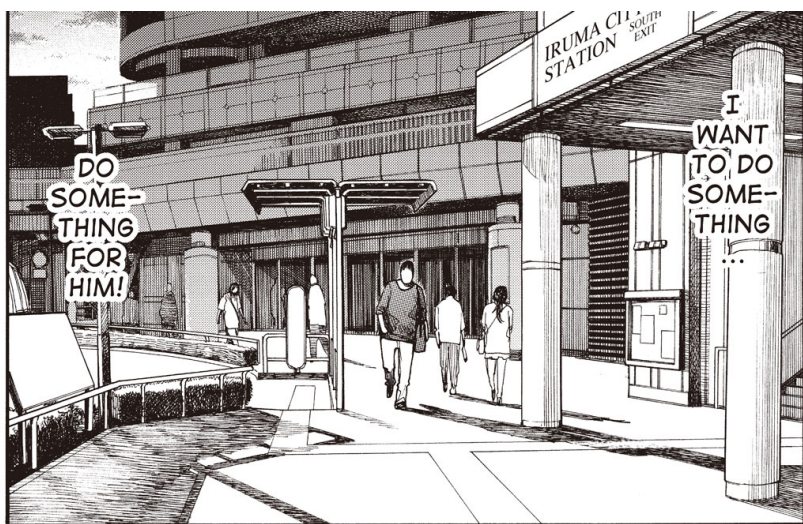


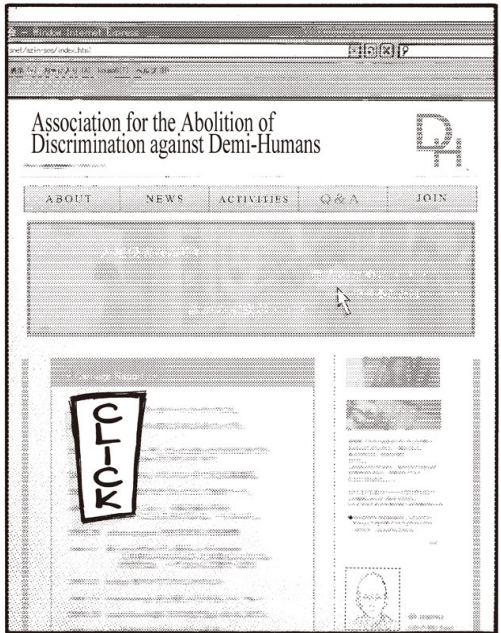
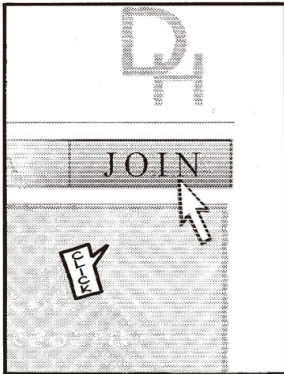
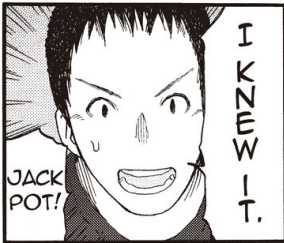
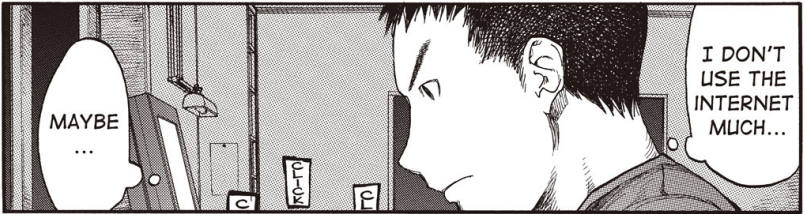
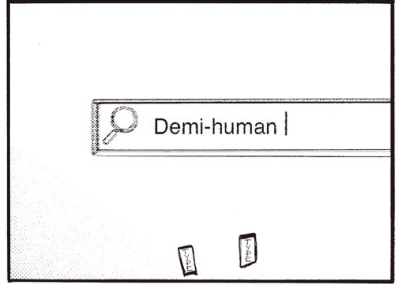
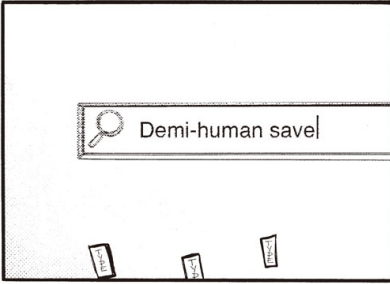




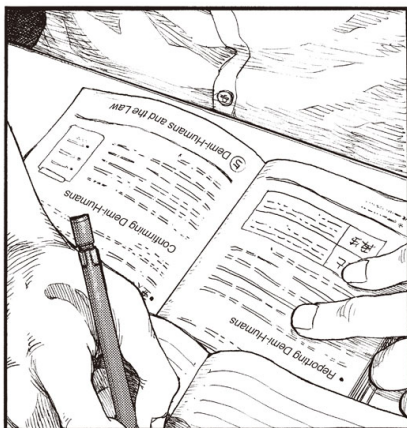














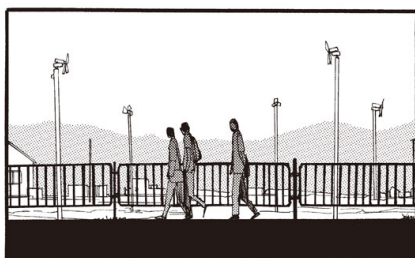
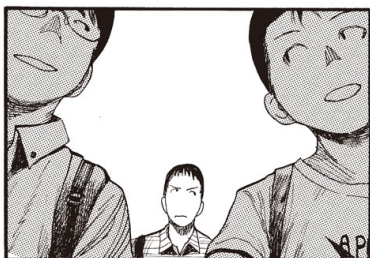
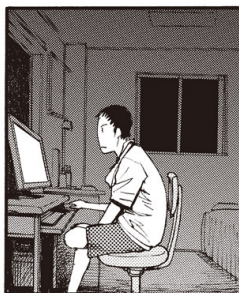
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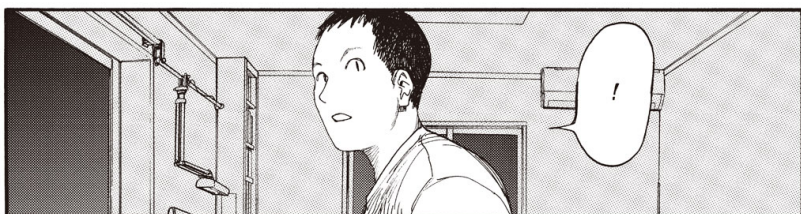
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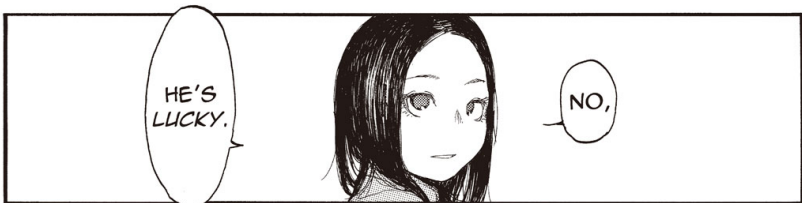
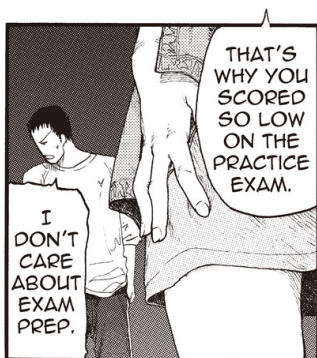
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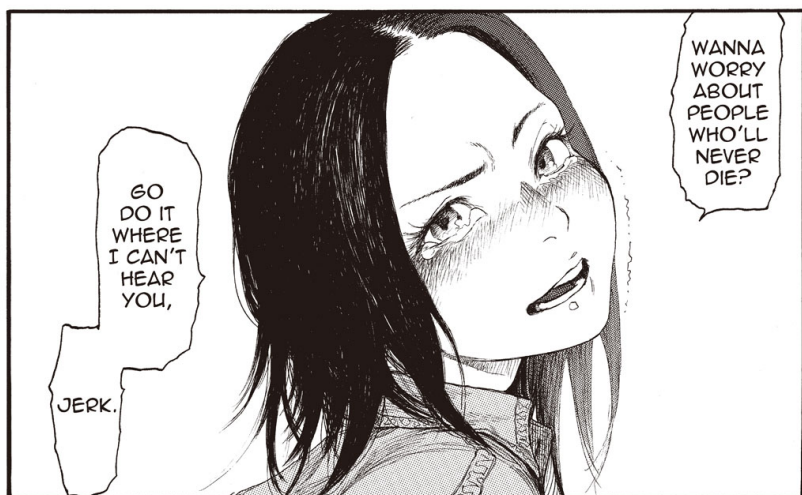
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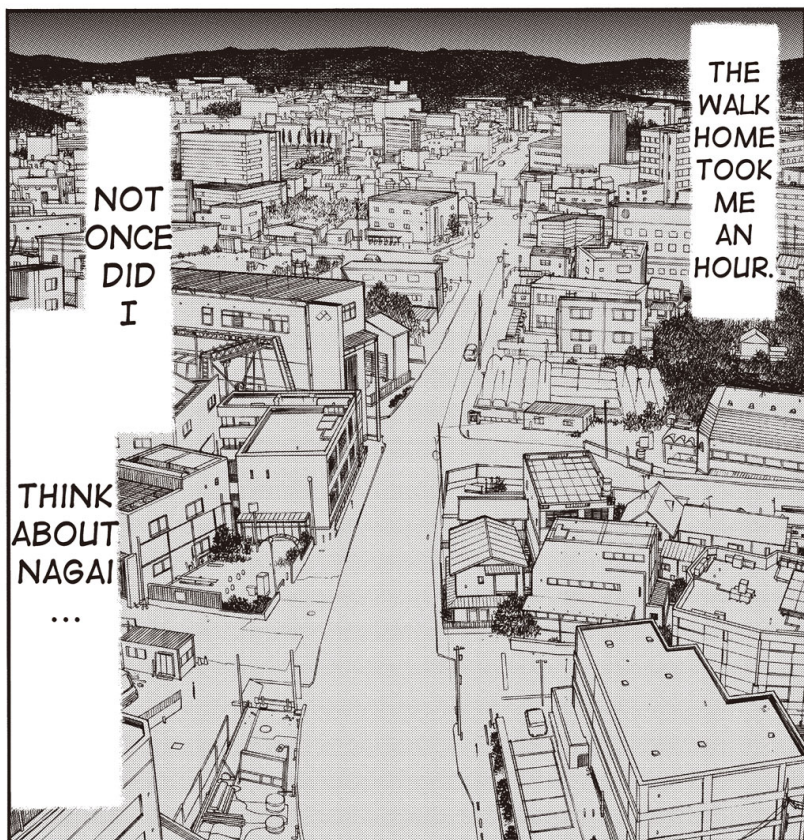


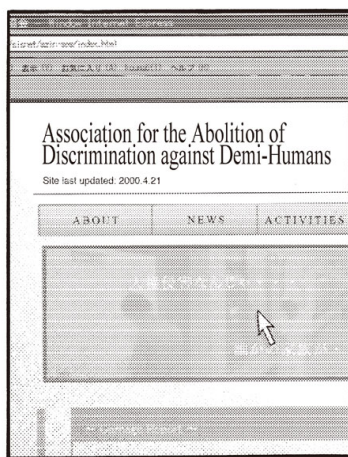
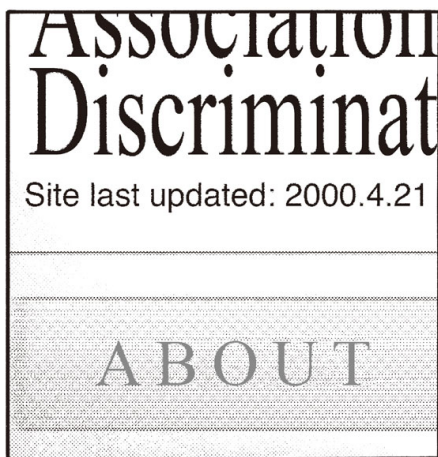
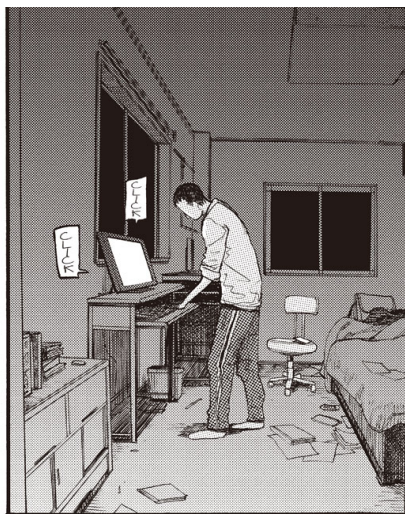












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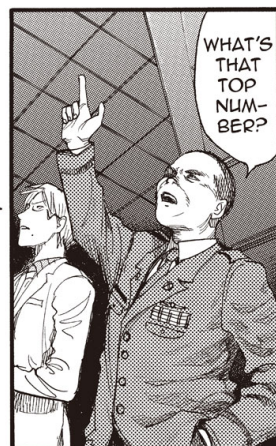
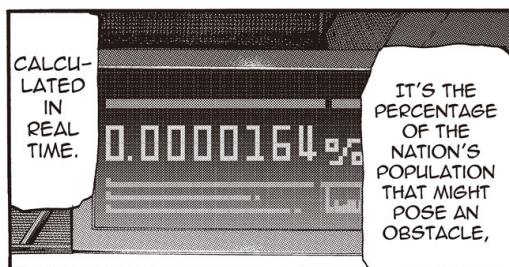
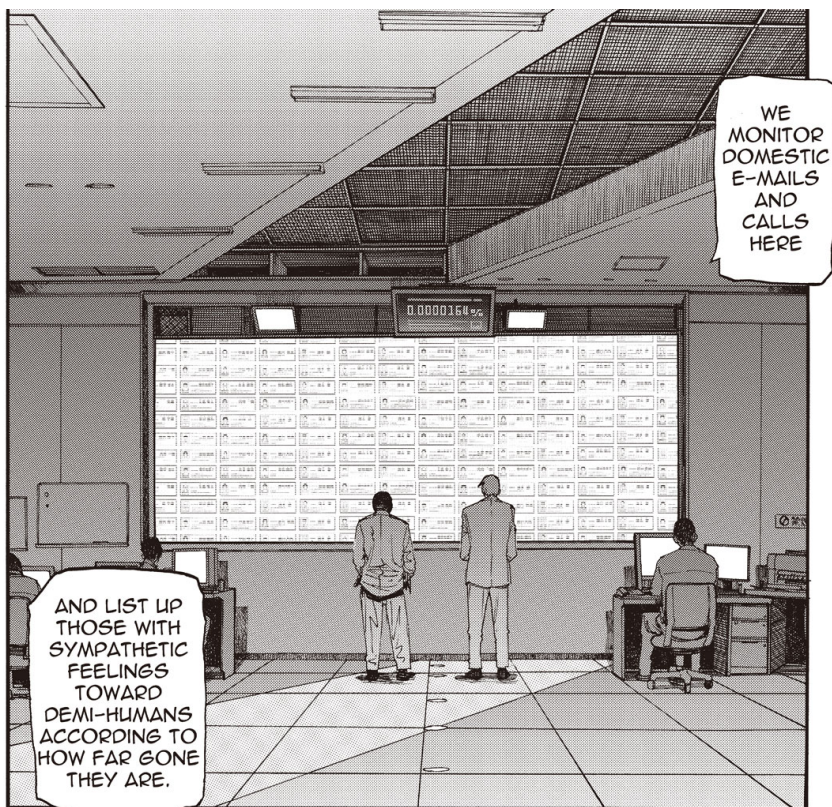


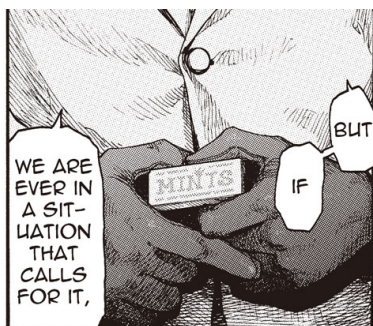
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HOW'RE
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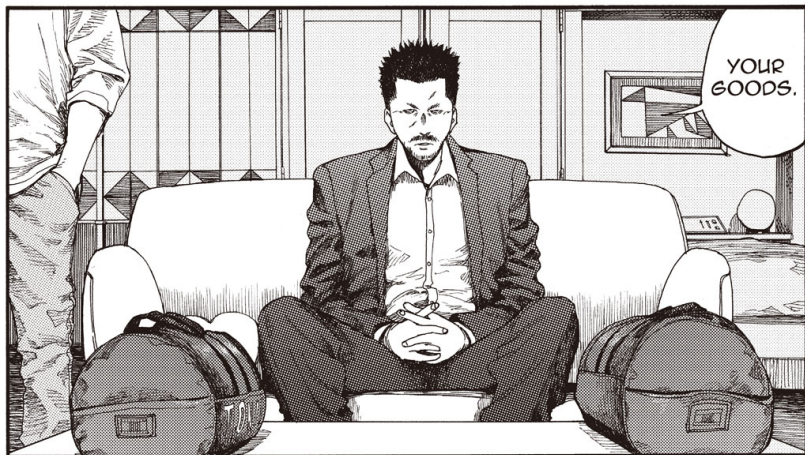
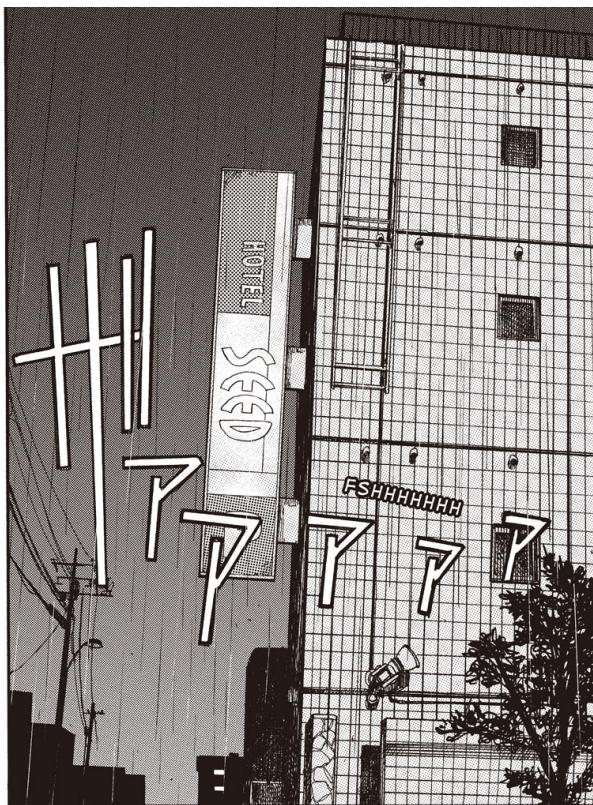
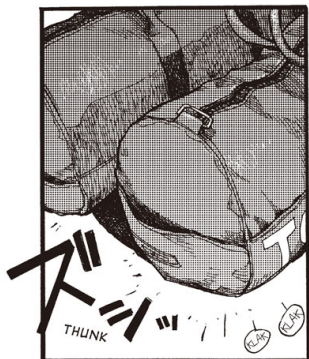
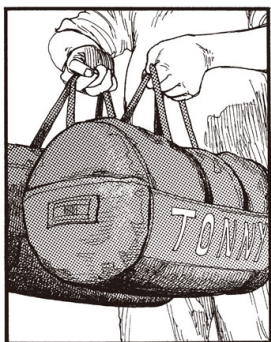
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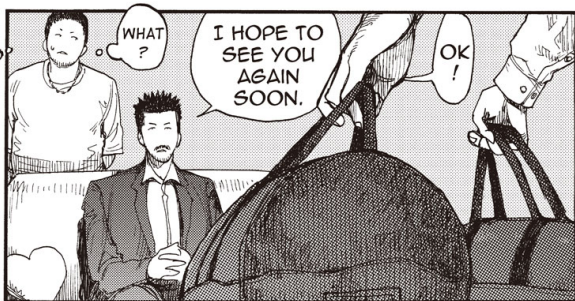
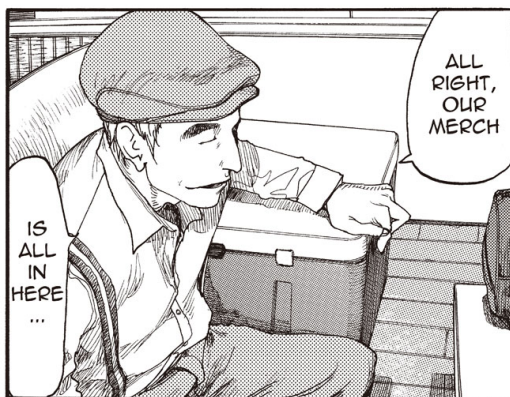


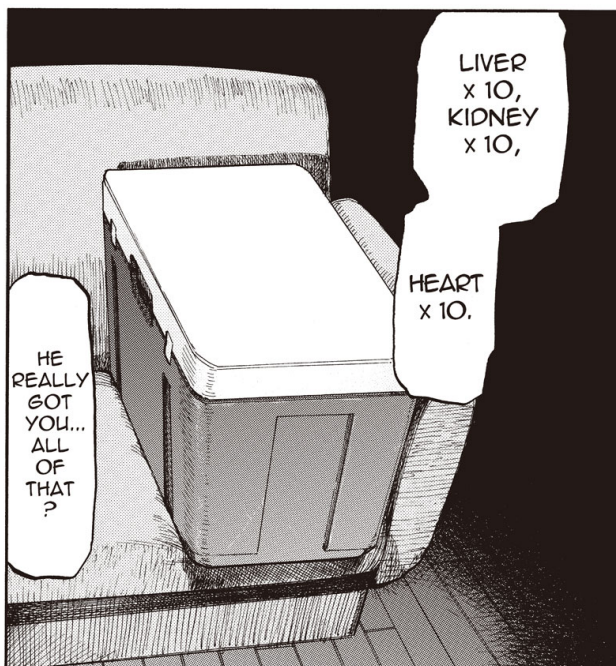
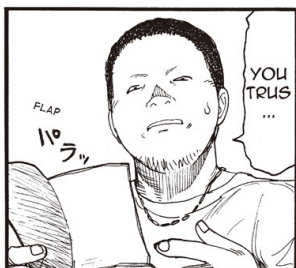


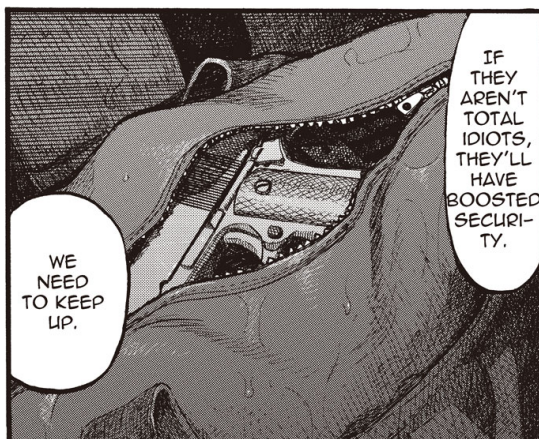


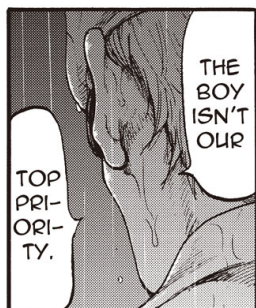








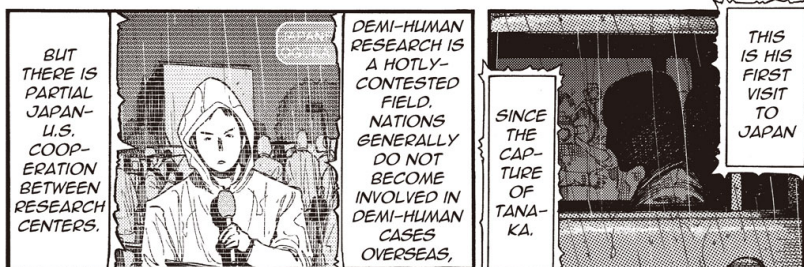






IS NOW
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DR.
IKUYA
OGURA'S
VEHICLE

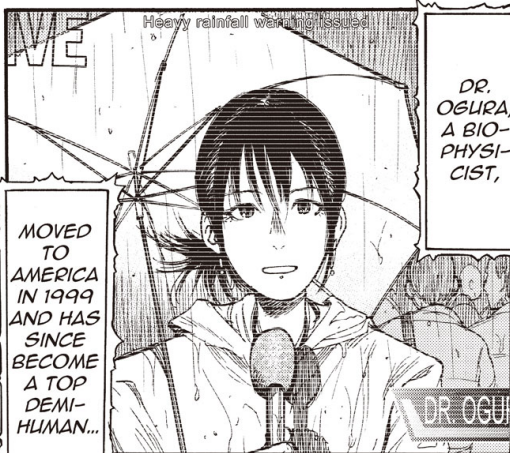


BUT
THERE IS
PARTIAL
JAPAN-
U.S.
COOP-
ERATION
BETWEEN
RESEARCH
CENTERS.

DEMI-HUMAN
RESEARCH IS
A HOTLY-
CONTESTED
FIELD.
NATIONS
GENERALLY
DO NOT
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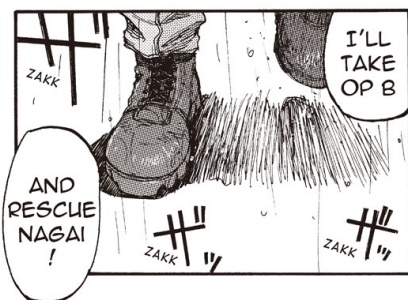
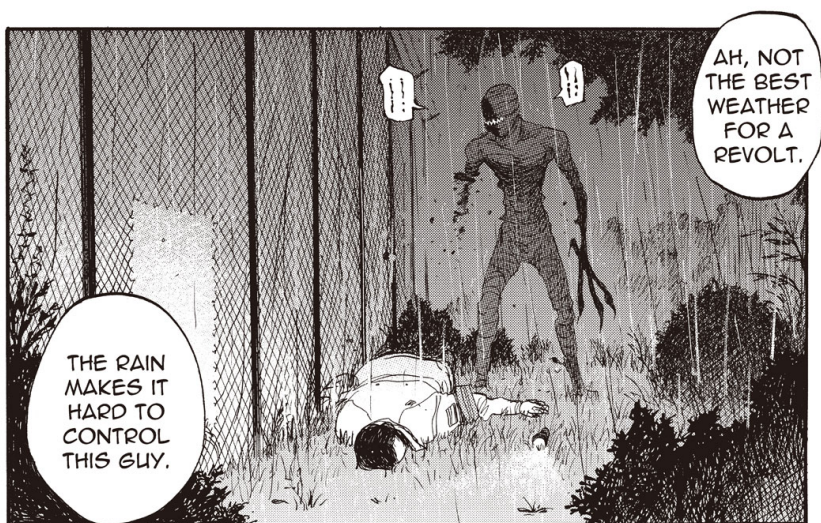
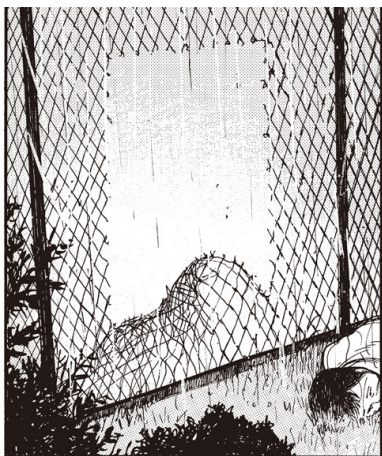
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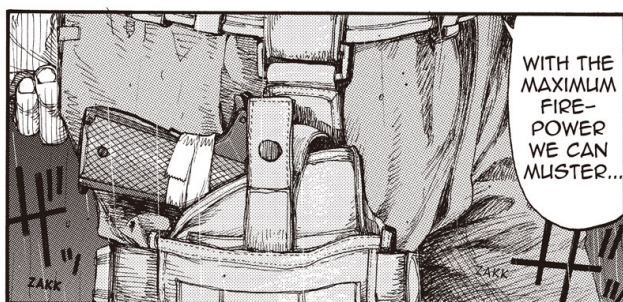
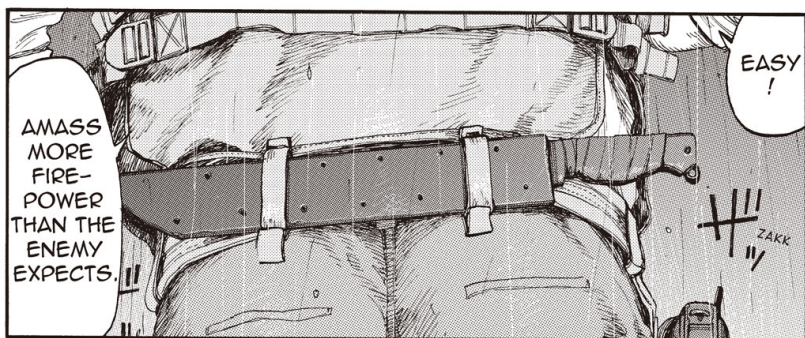


MOVED
TO
AMERICA
IN 1999
AND HAS
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BECOME
A TOP
DEMI-
HUMAN...

DR.
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A BIO-
PHYSI-
CIST,

DR. OGURA

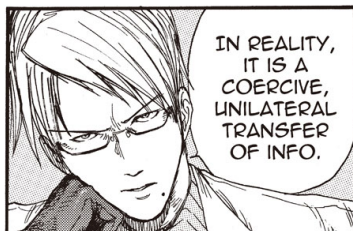
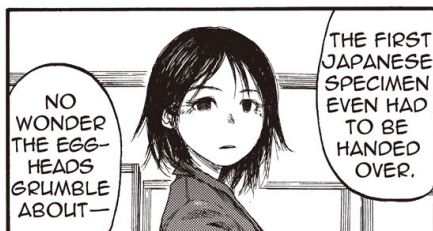
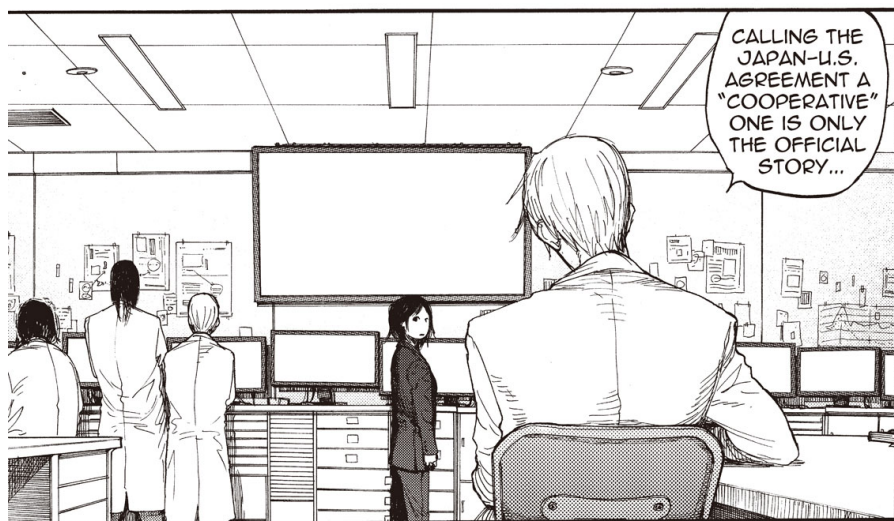
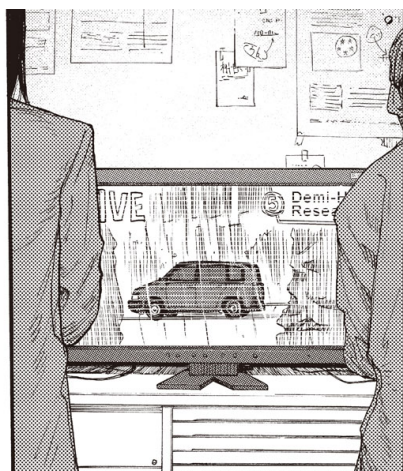


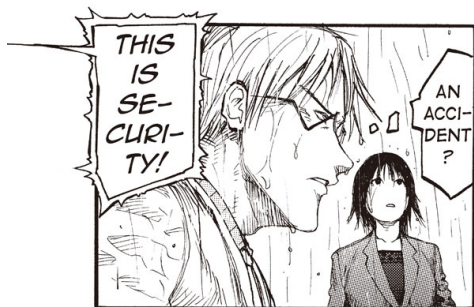
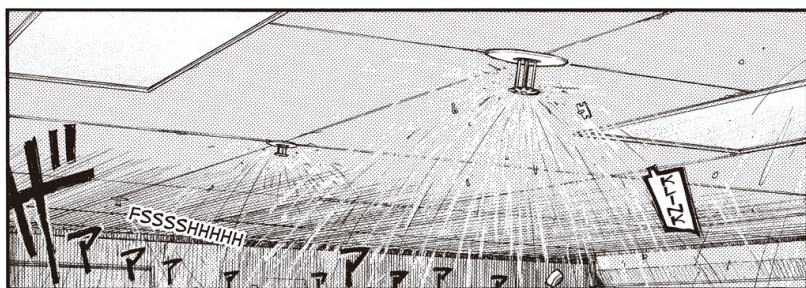
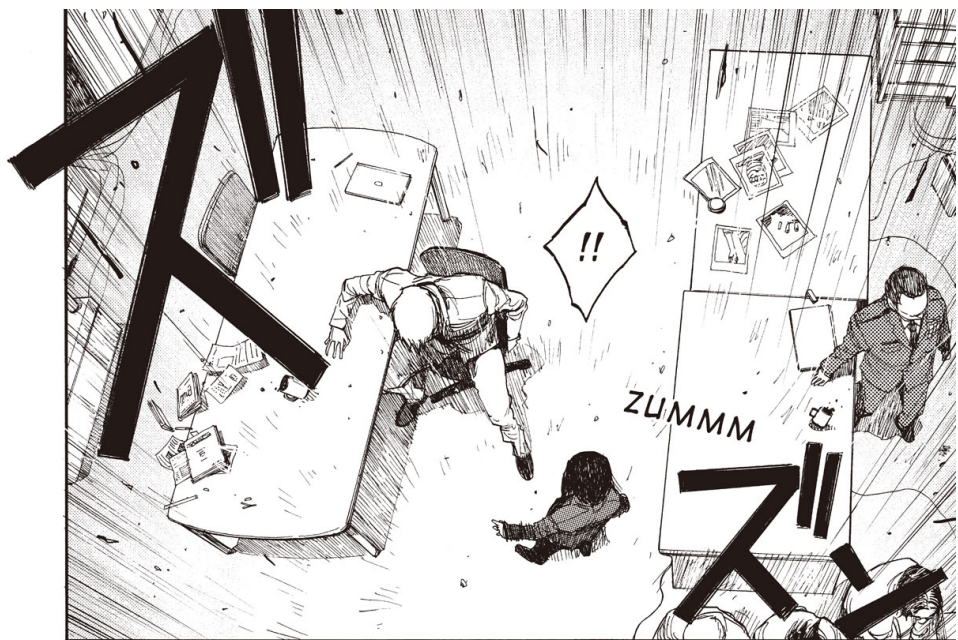


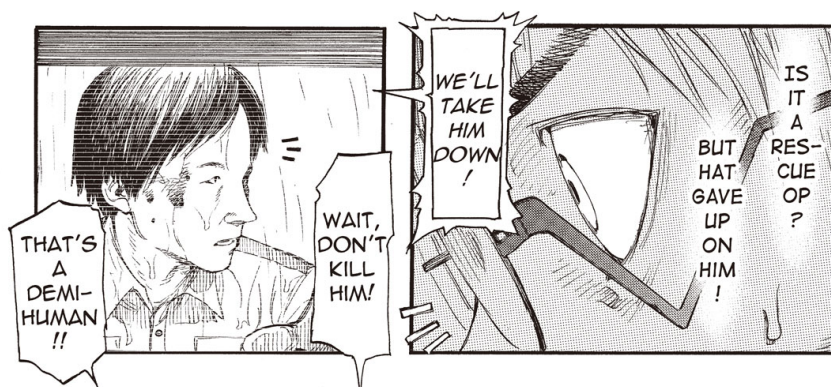
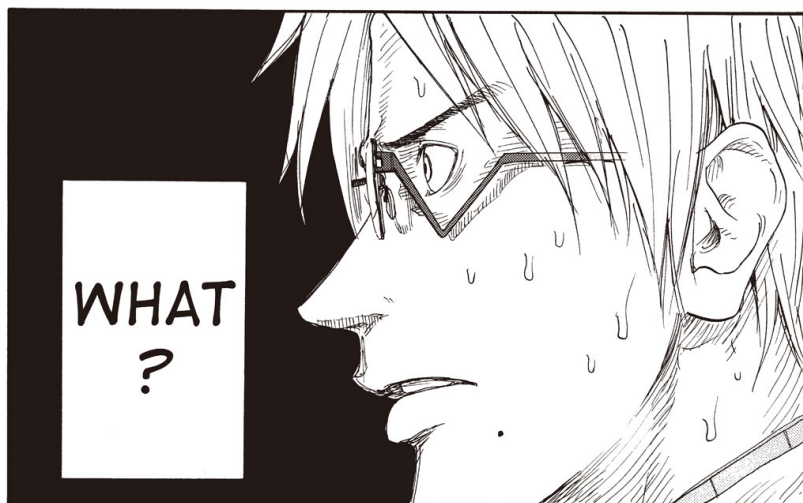
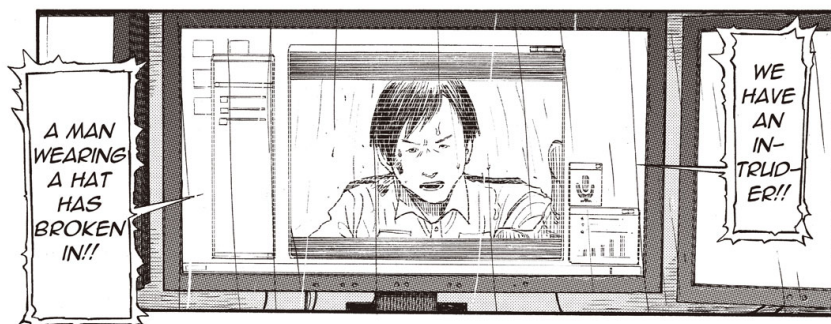


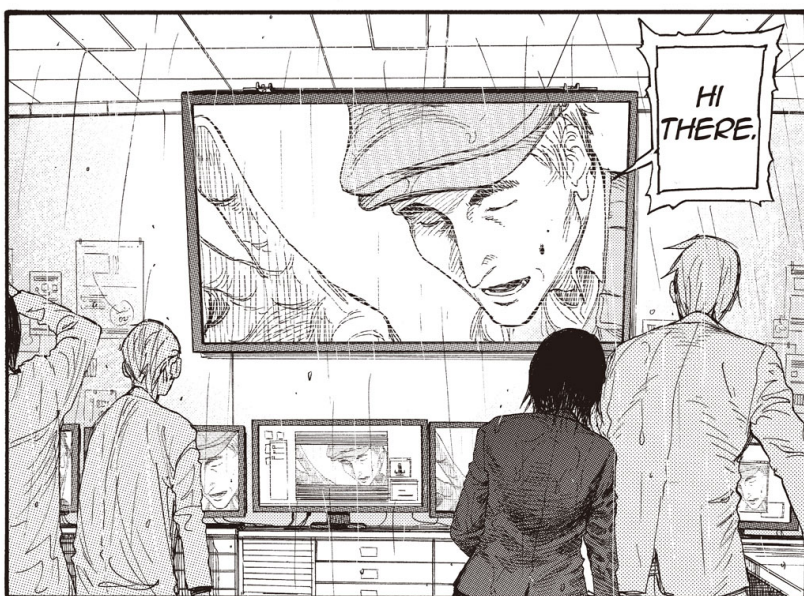
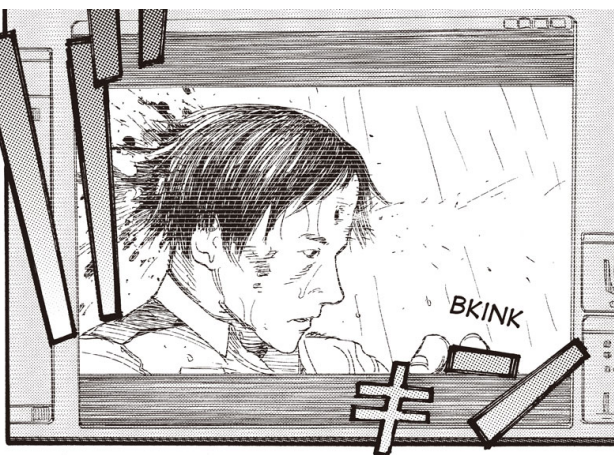
NO
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THANK
YOU.

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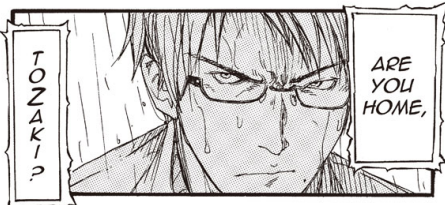




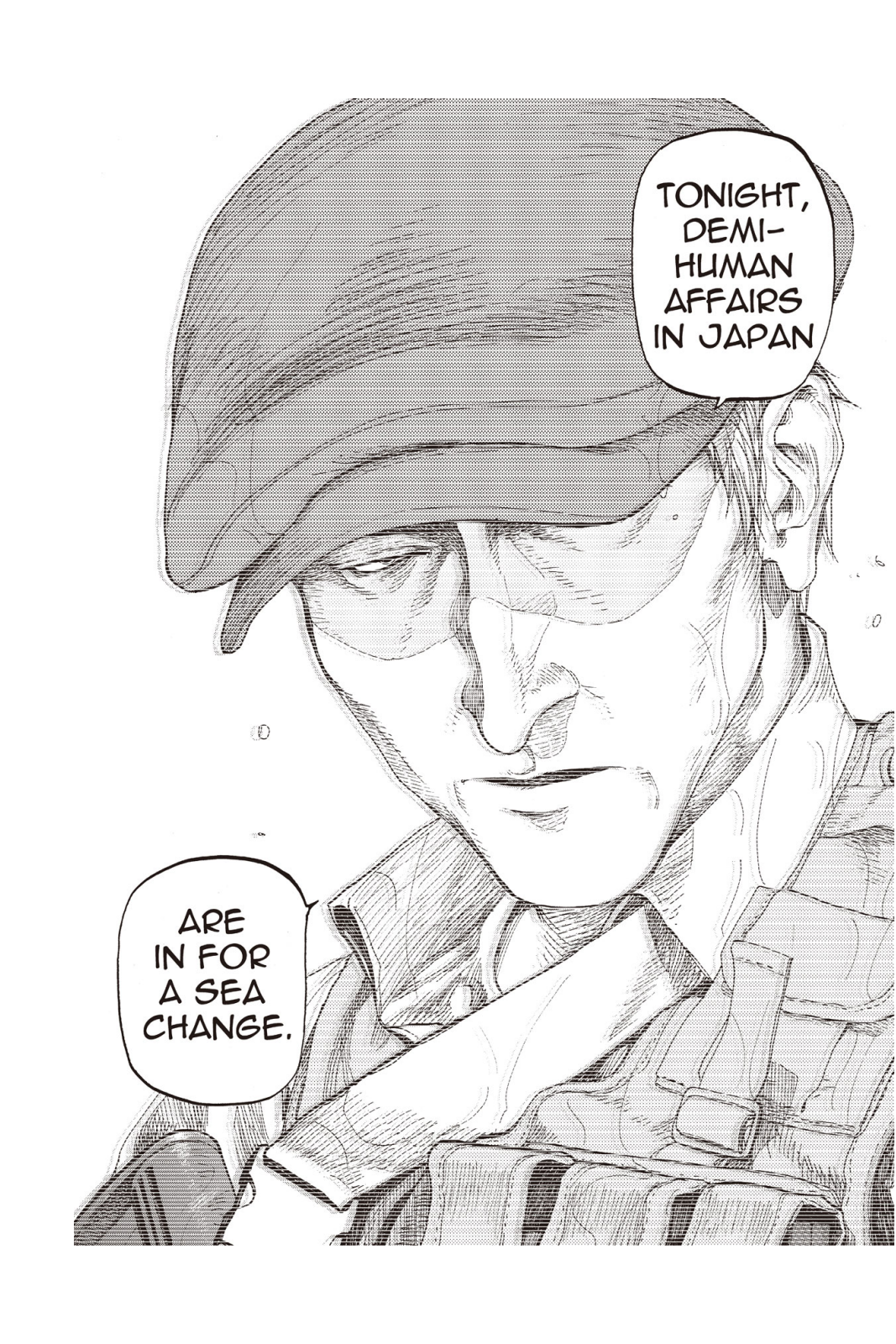




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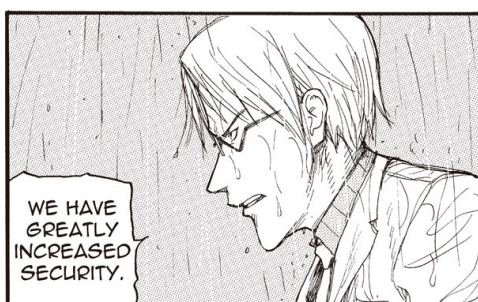


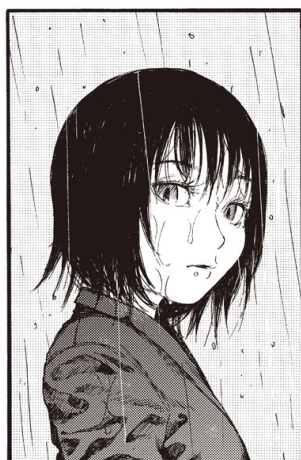
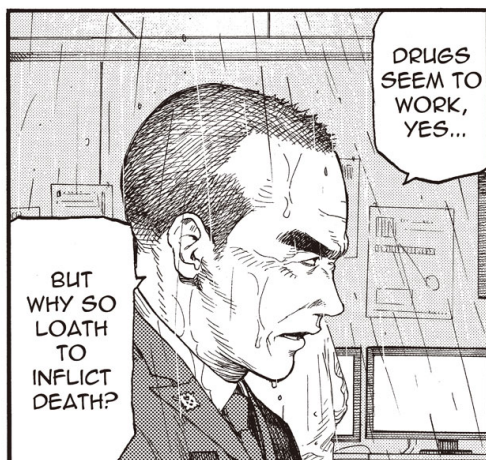
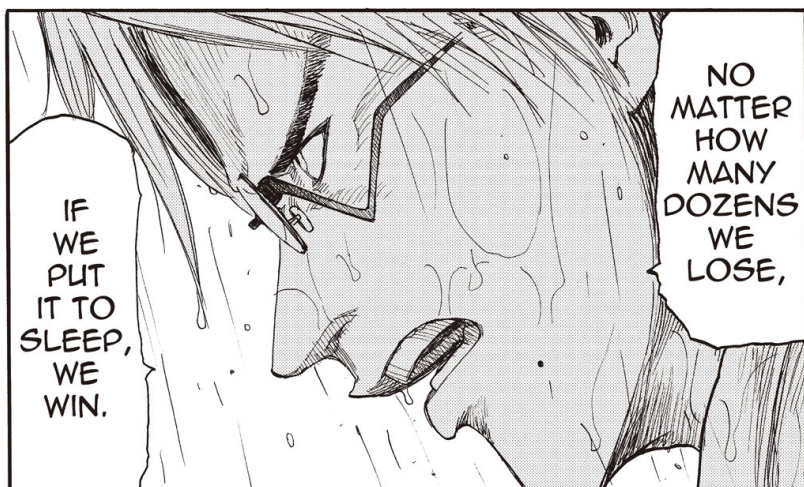
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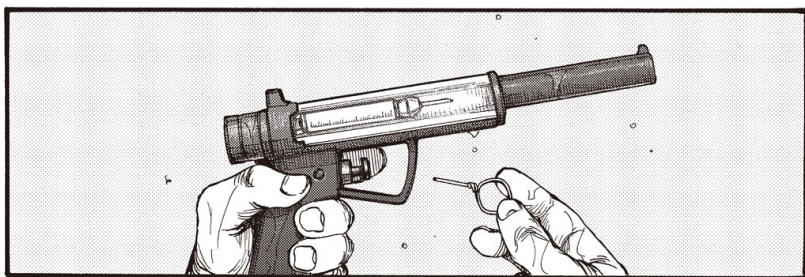
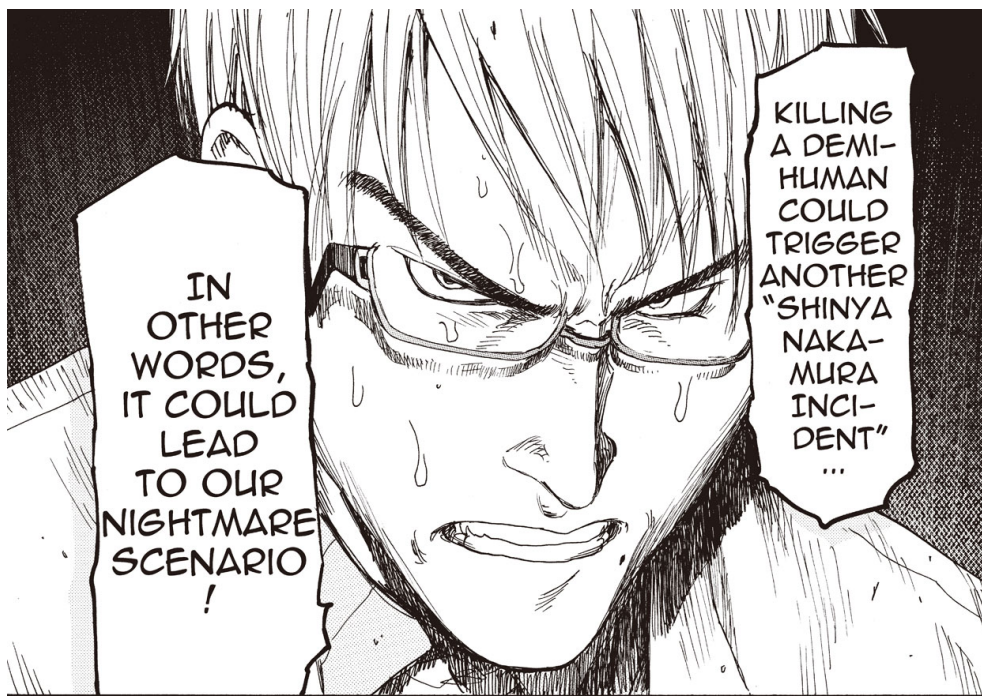


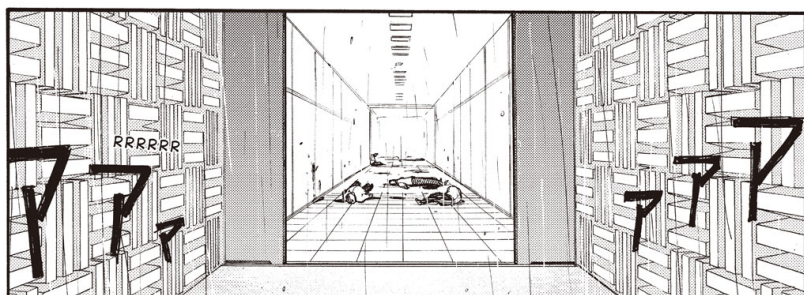
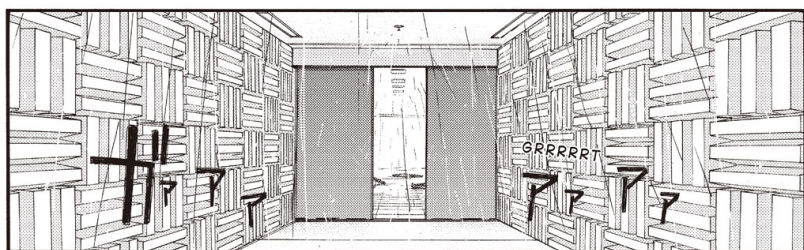
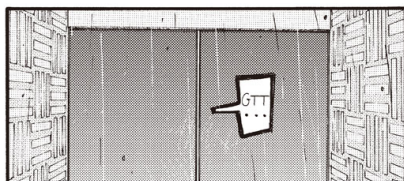
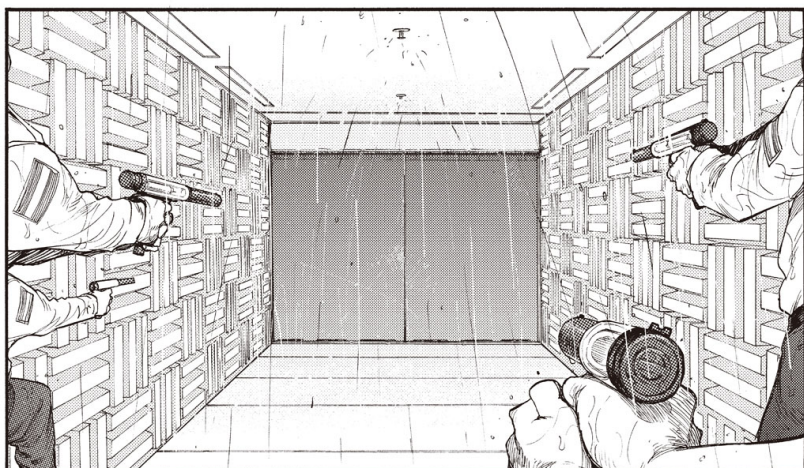
TONIGHT,
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HUMAN
AFFAIRS
IN JAPAN

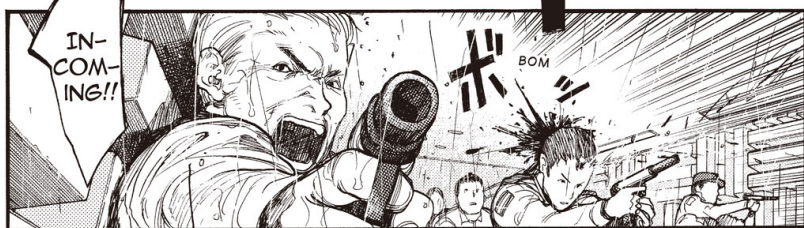
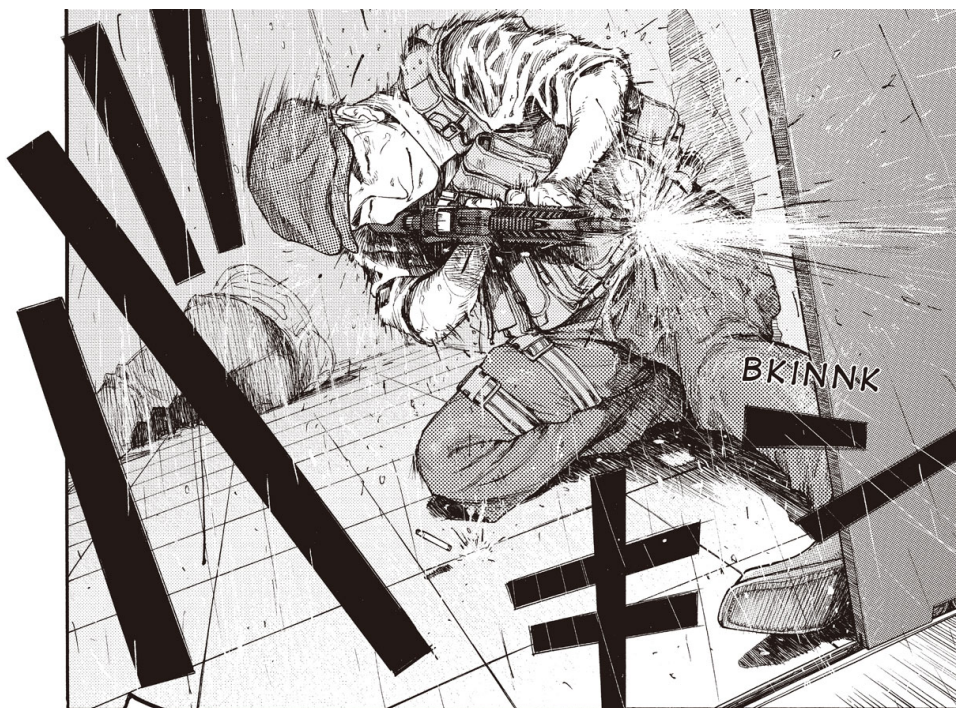
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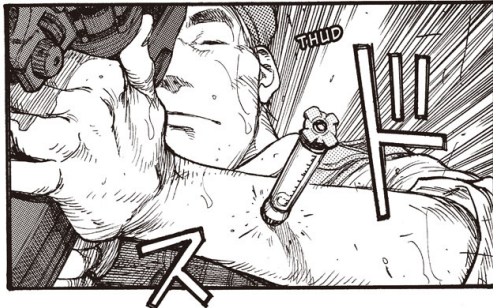
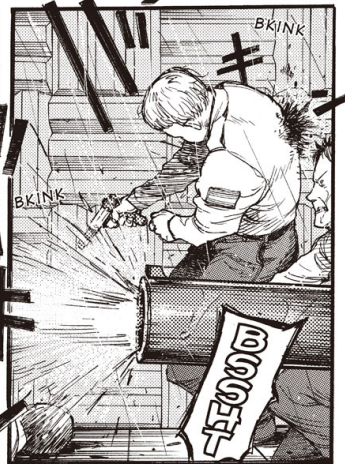
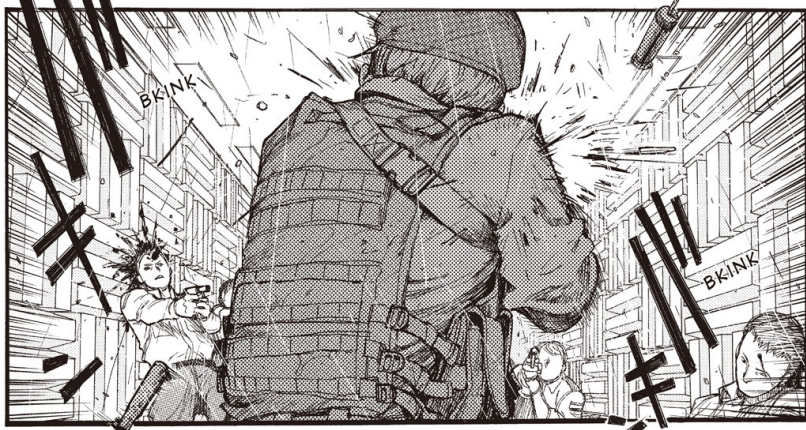


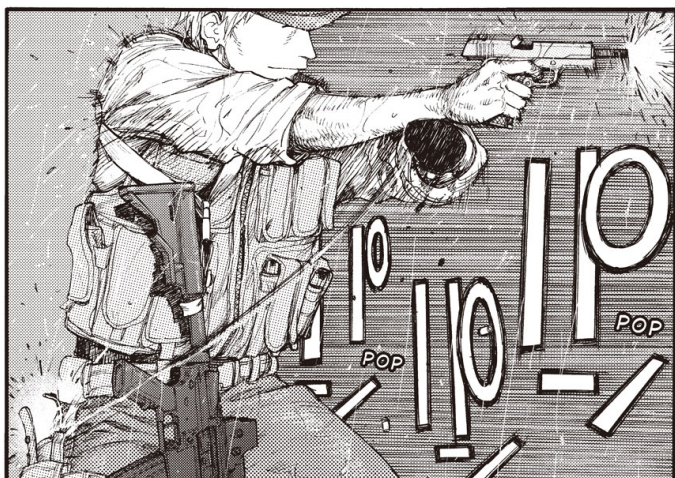
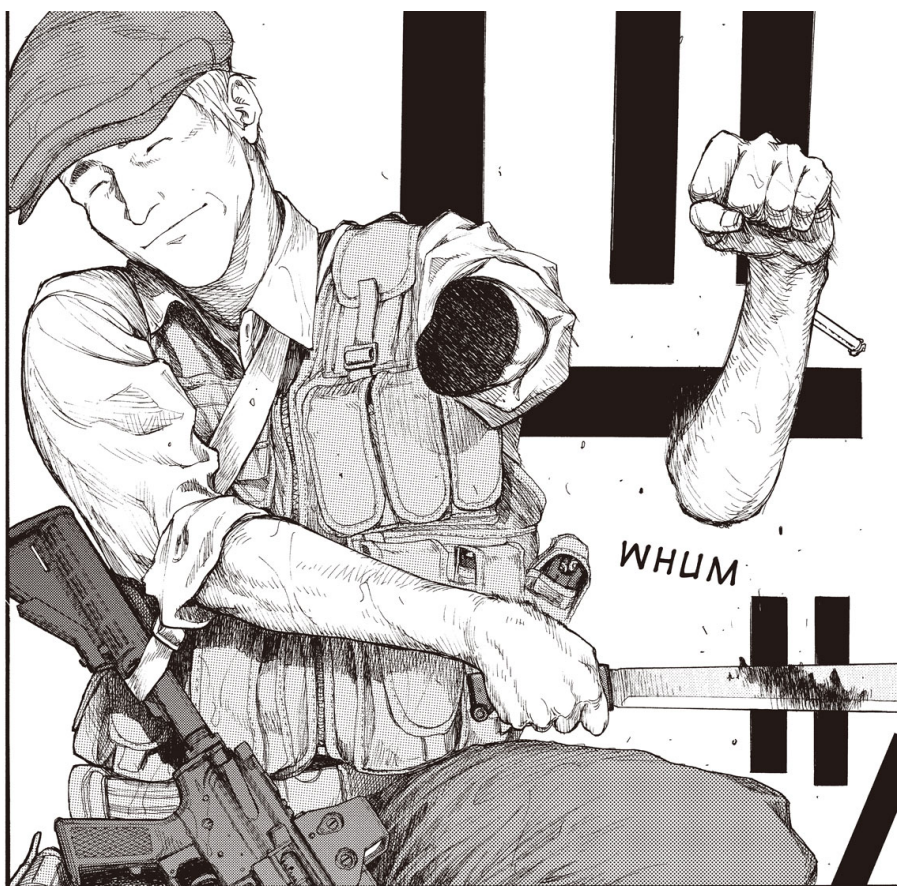


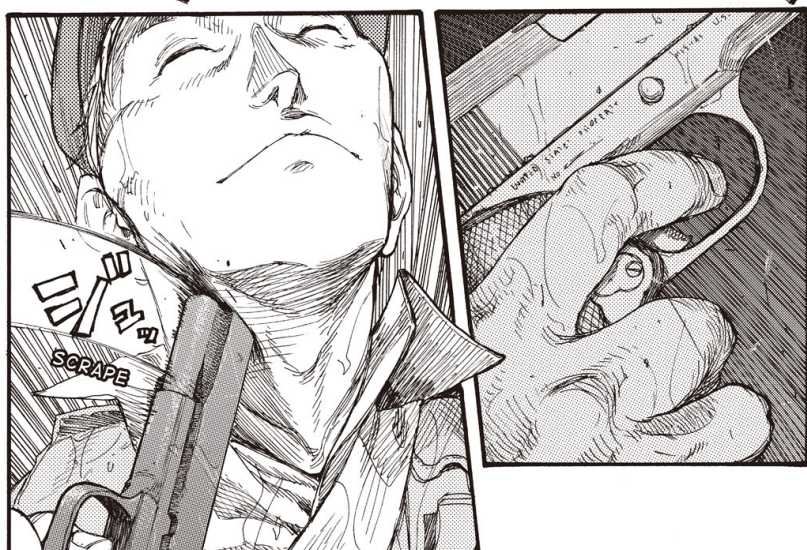
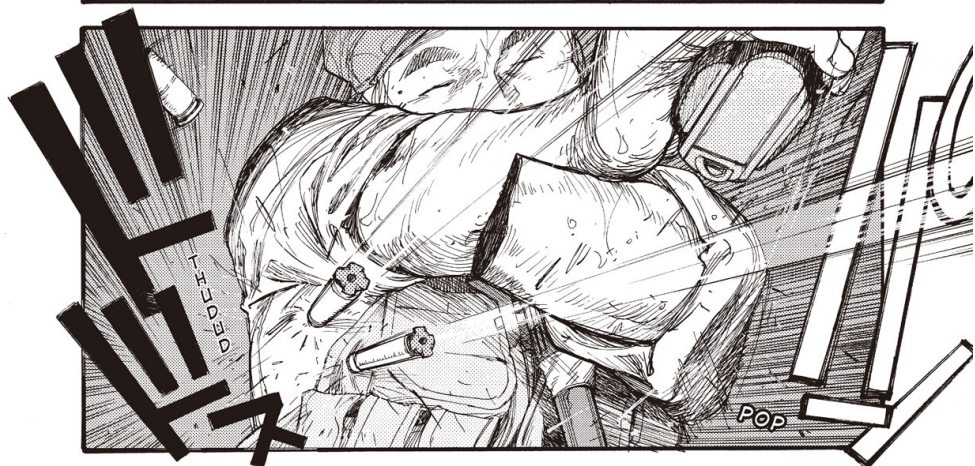
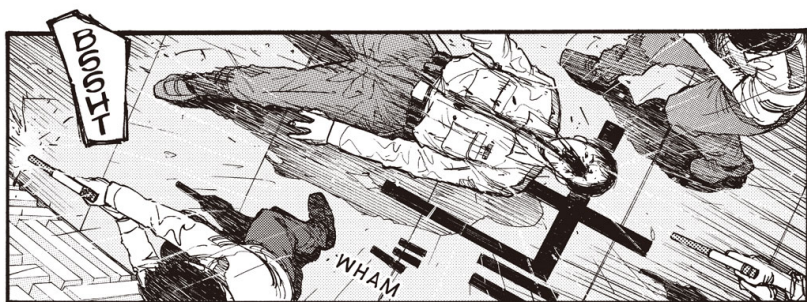


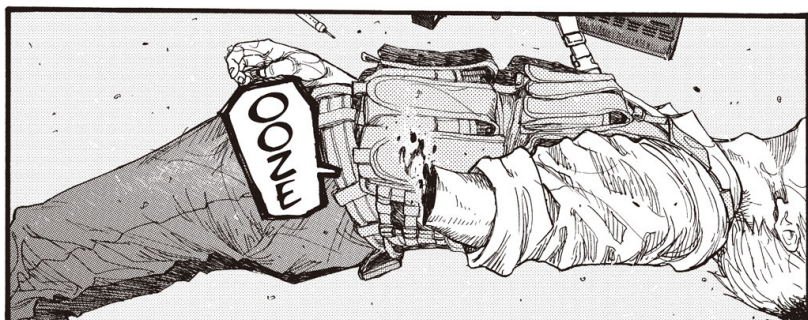


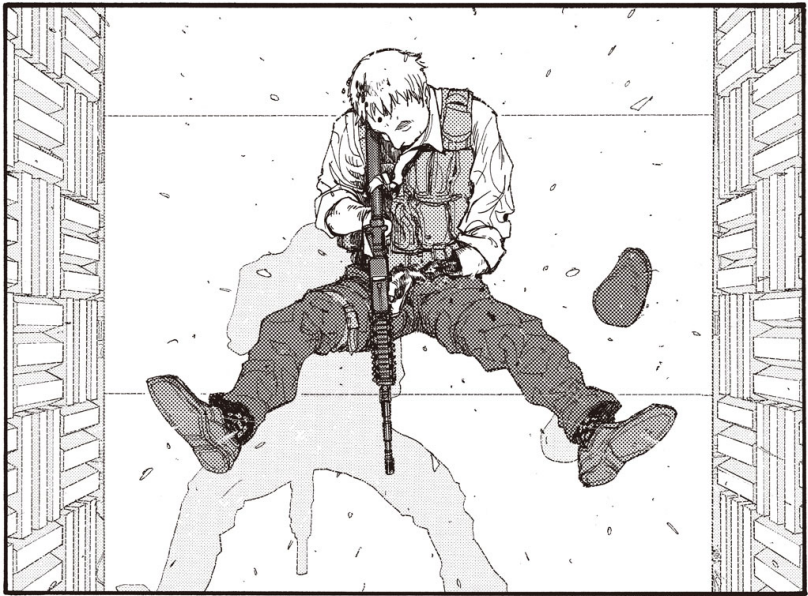


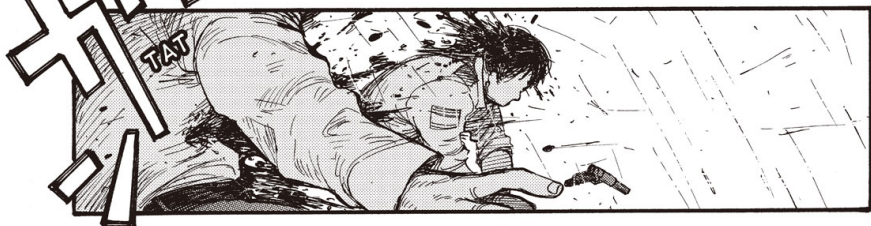
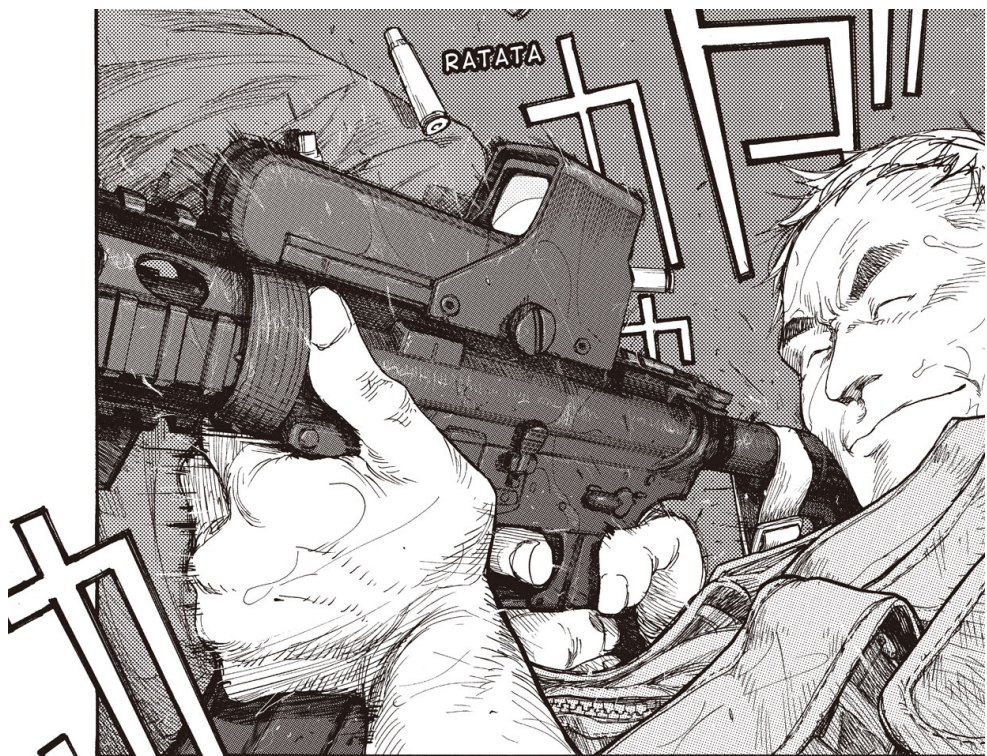






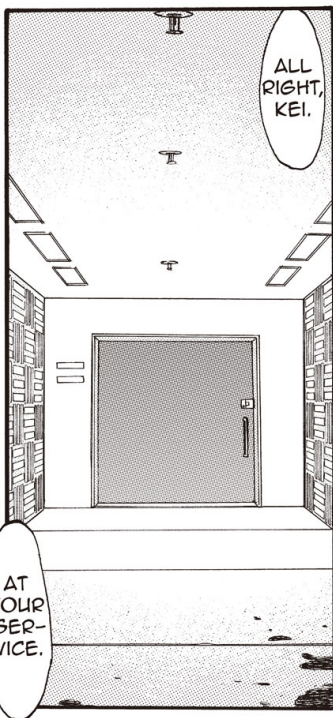








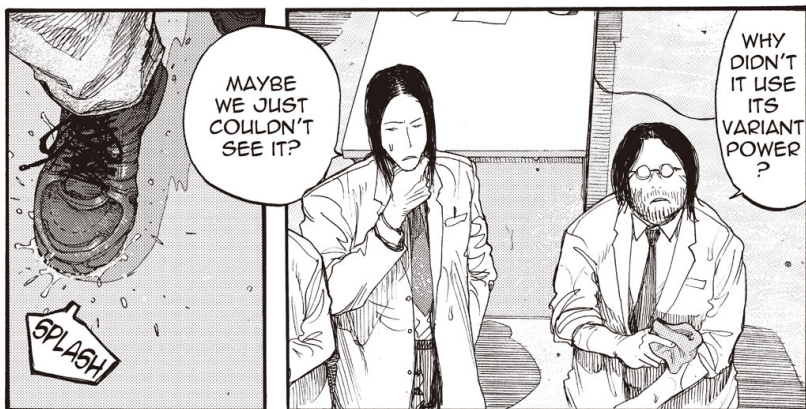
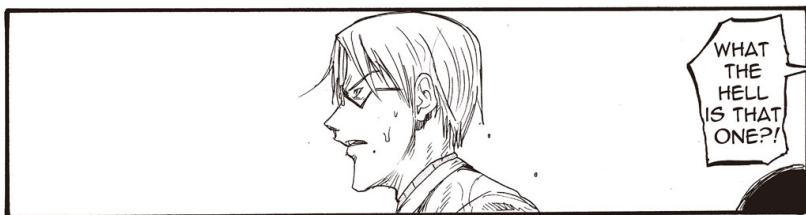
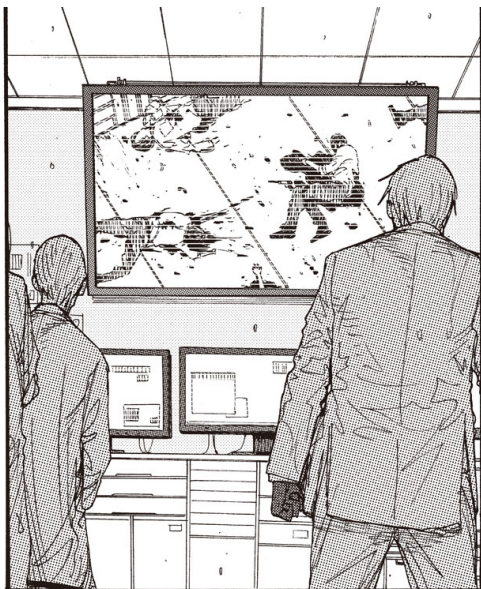
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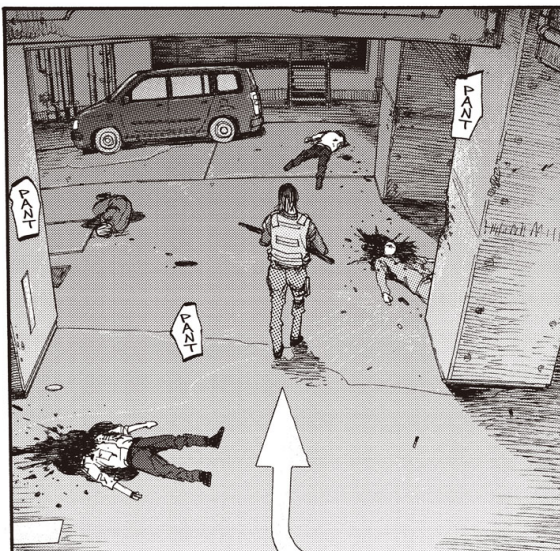
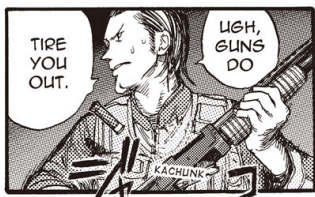


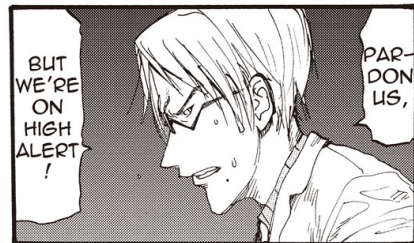
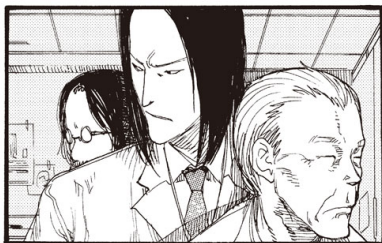
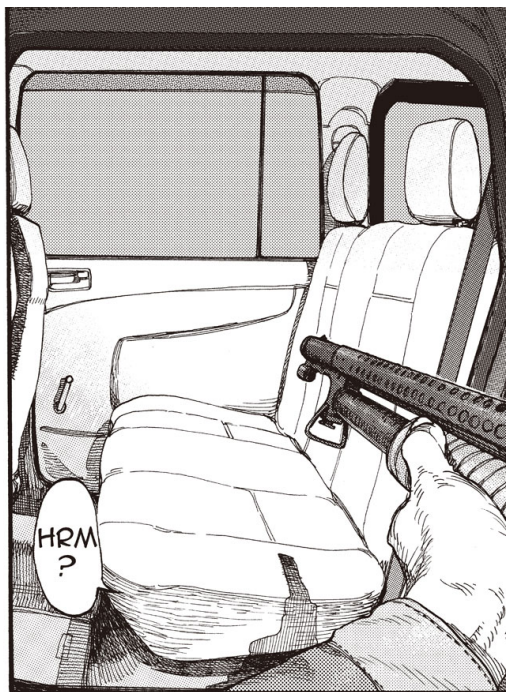
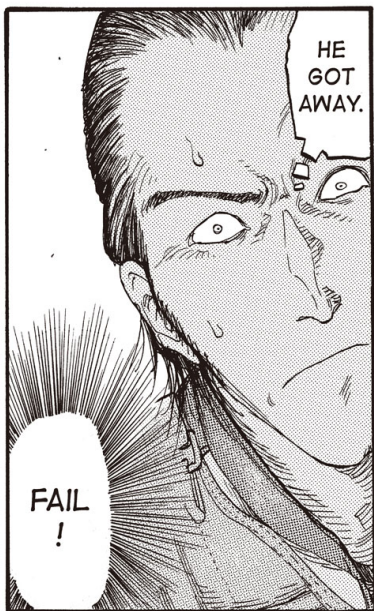
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RIGHT,
KEI.

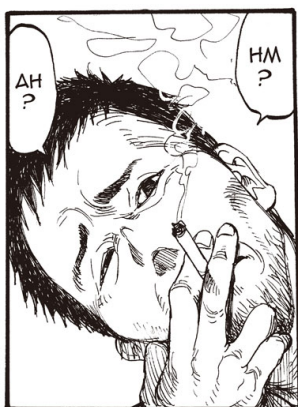
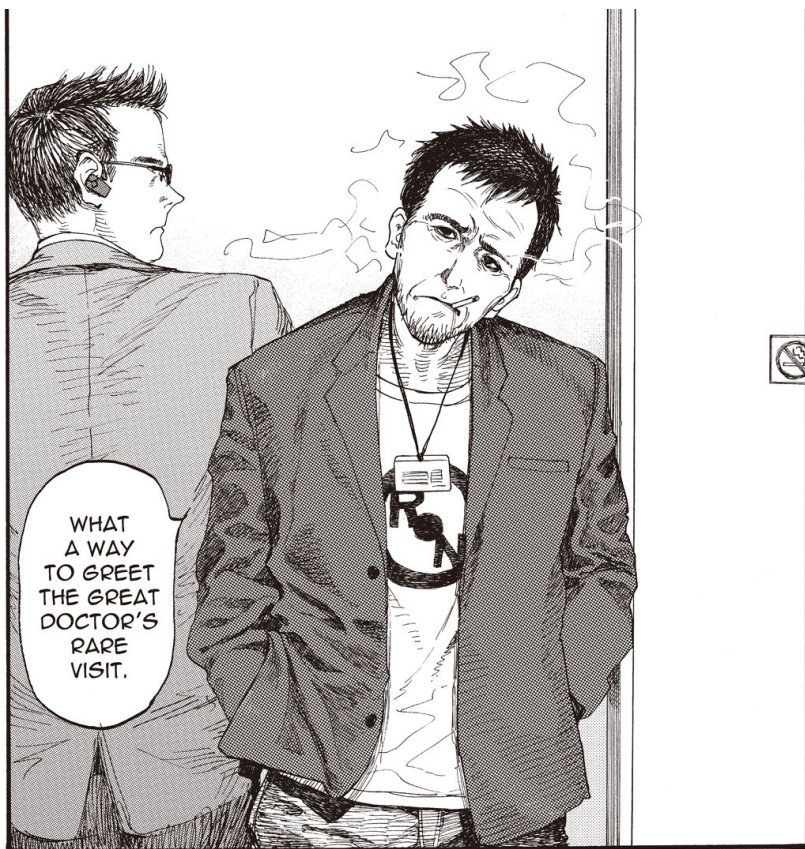
AT
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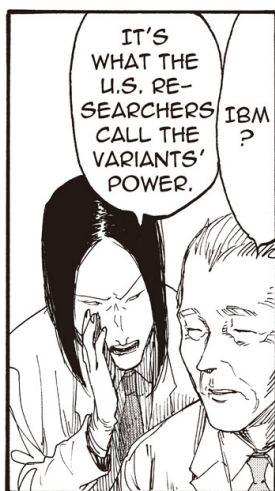


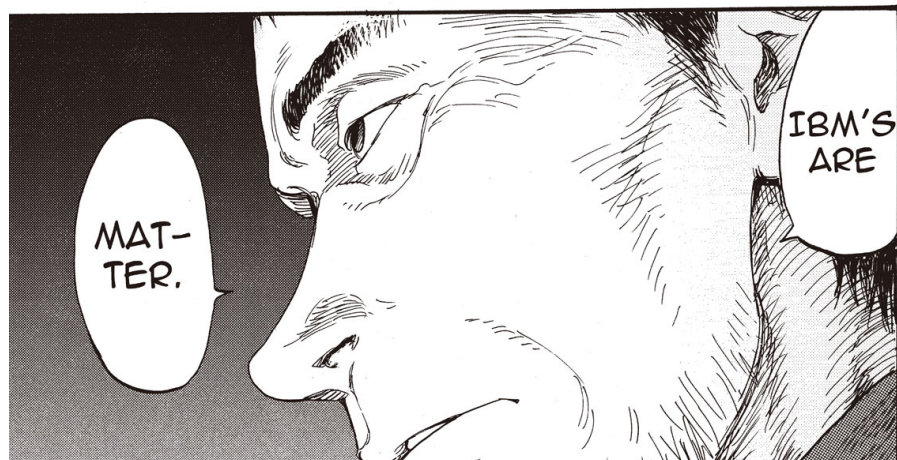
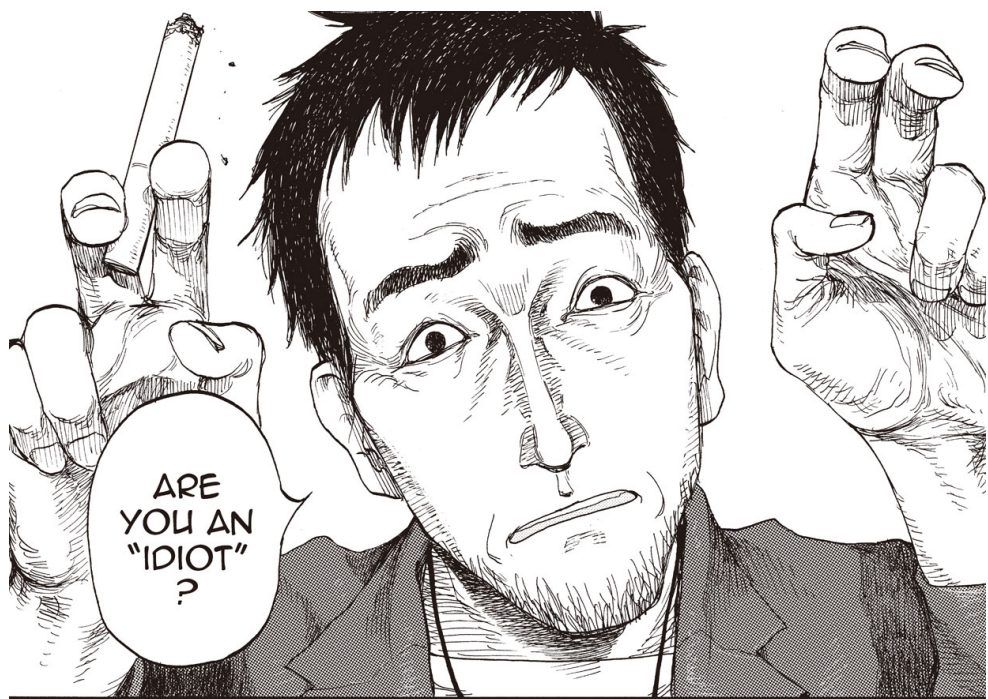


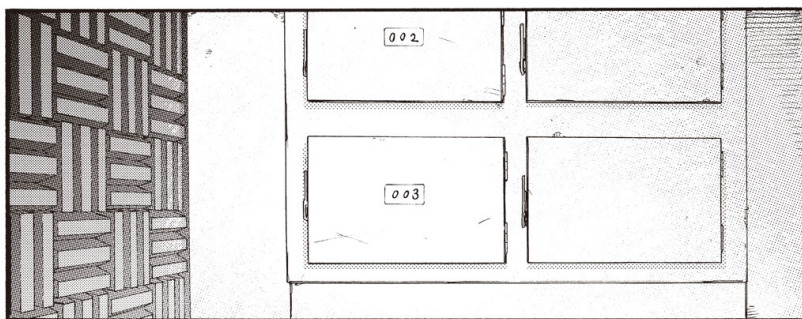
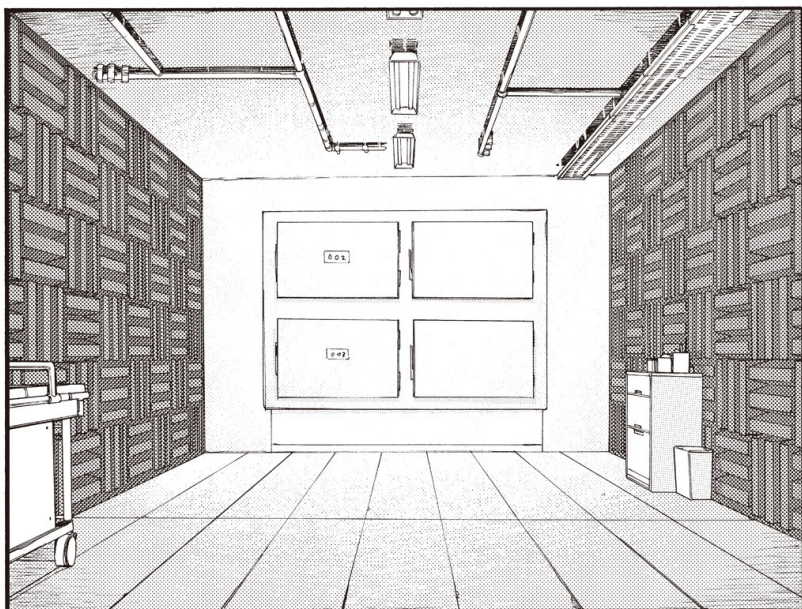




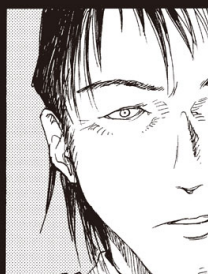
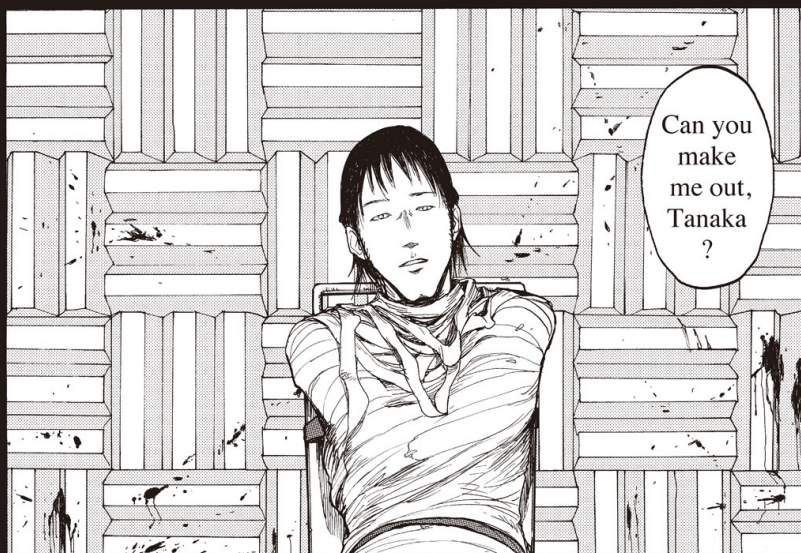


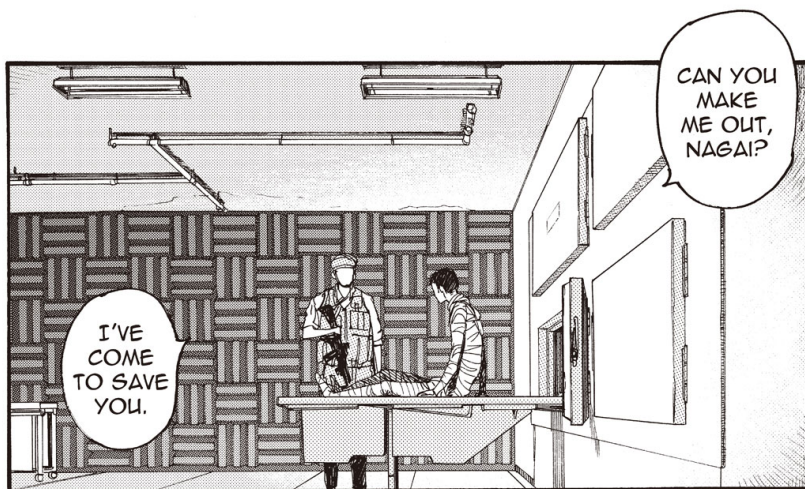


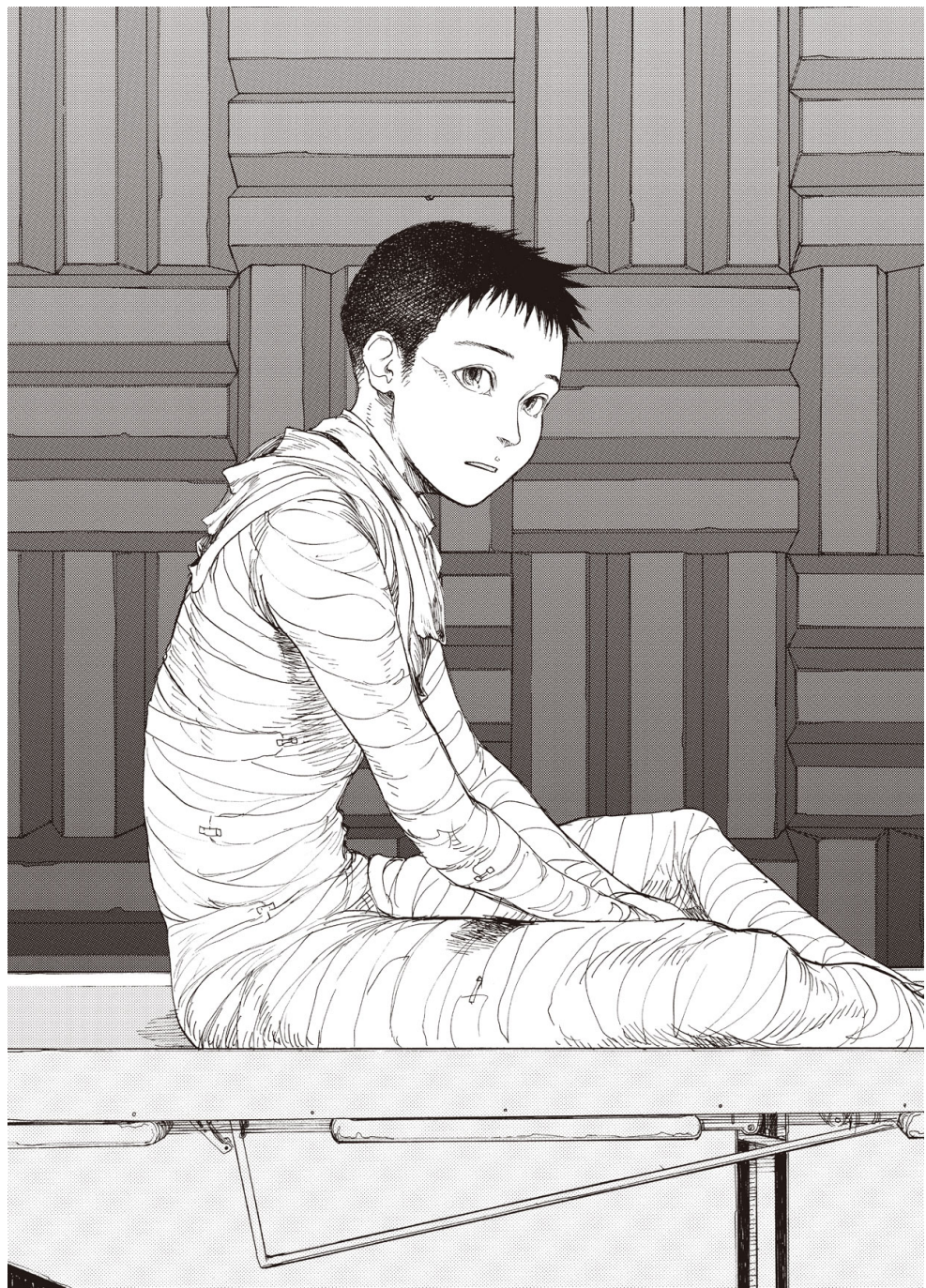


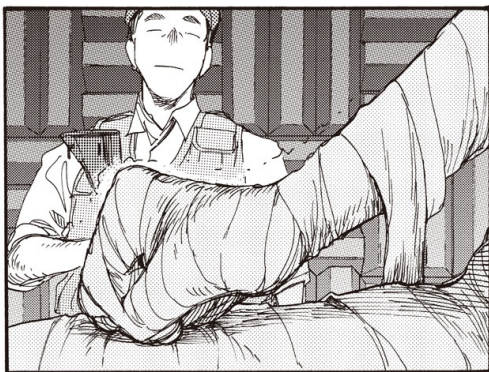
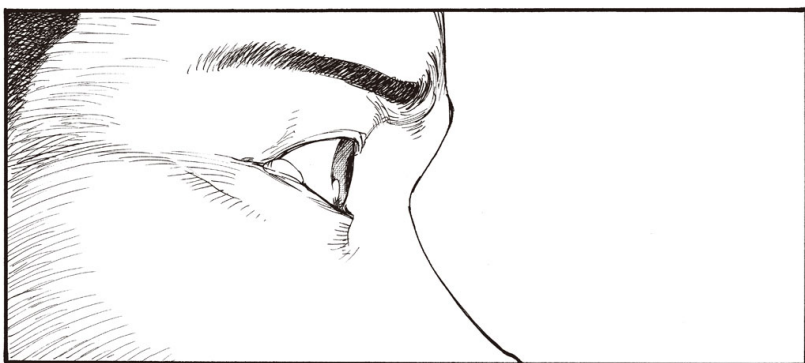
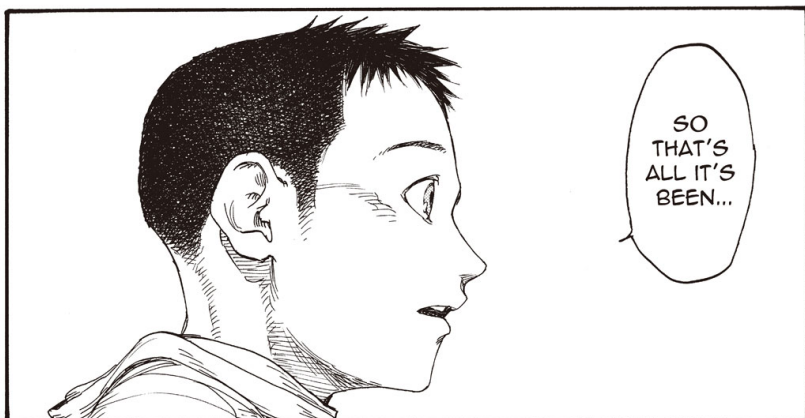


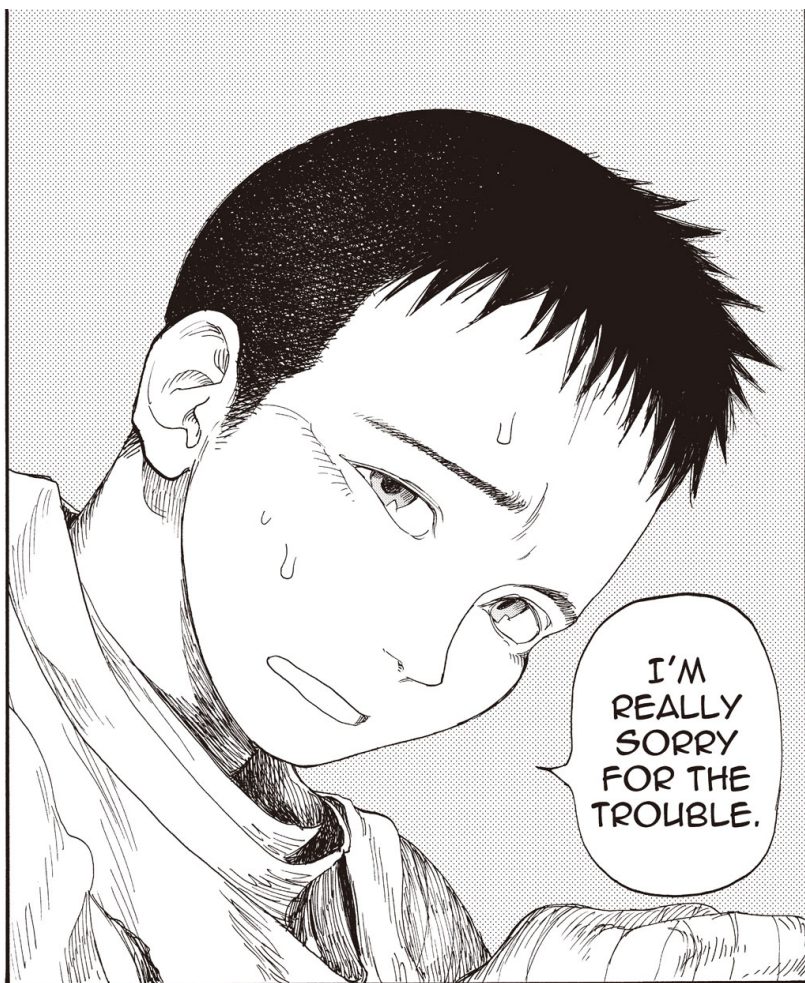










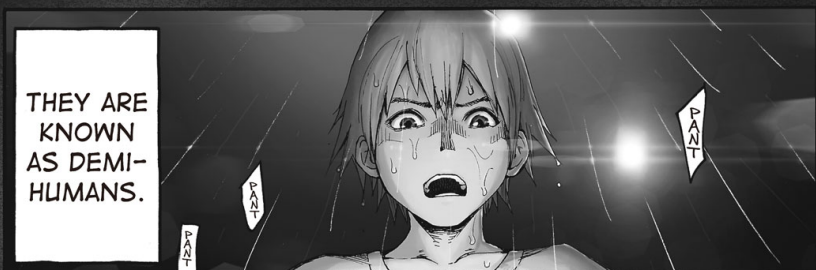








THESE
LIFE
FORMS
DO NOT
DIE...



THEY ARE
KNOWN
AS DEMI-
HUMANS.



THESE
LIFE
FORMS
—

File:00

DO
NOT
KNOW
WHAT
THEY
ARE





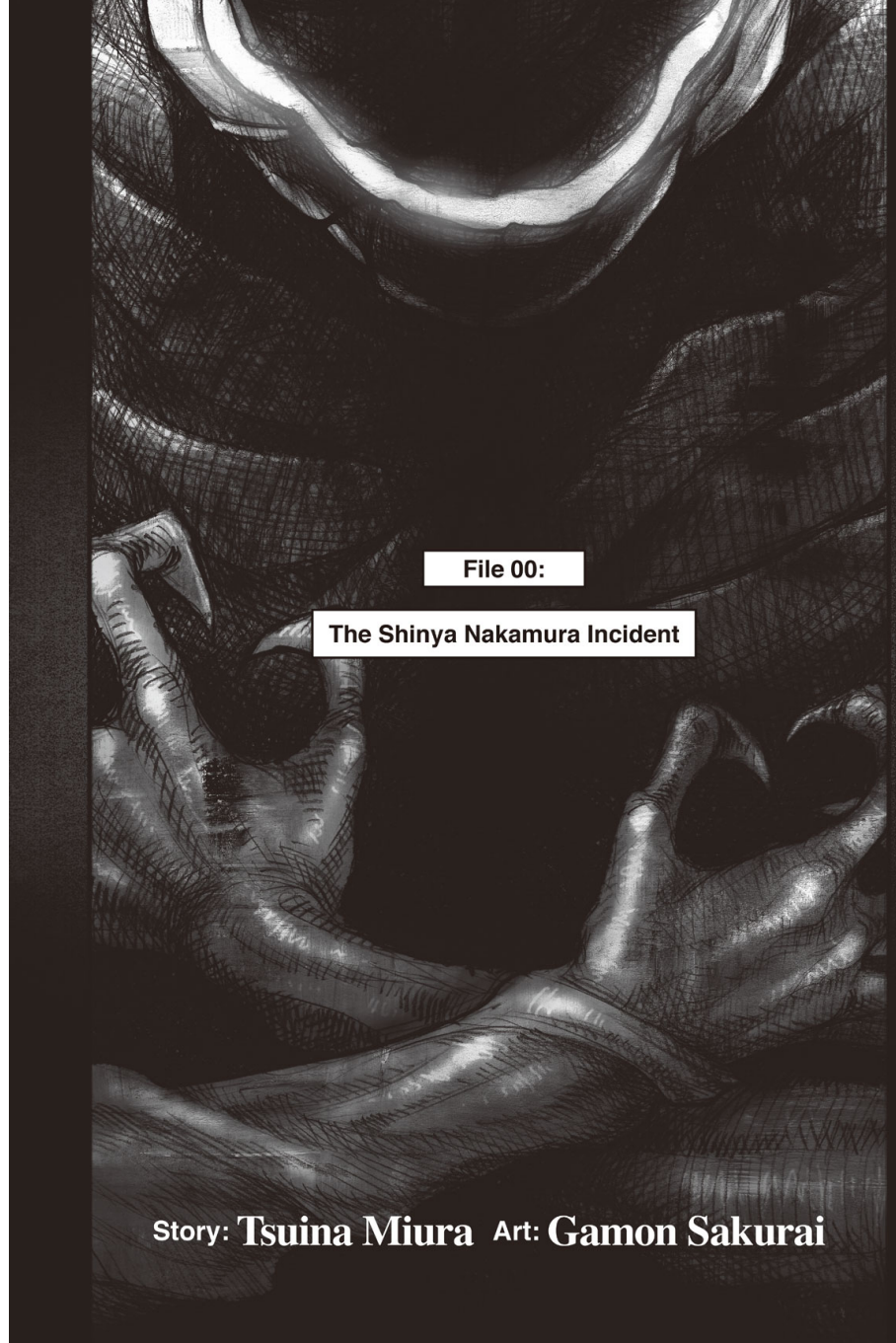
UNTIL
THEY DIE
ONCE.



AND IT
WAS THAT
WAY WITH
ME.

AH
!

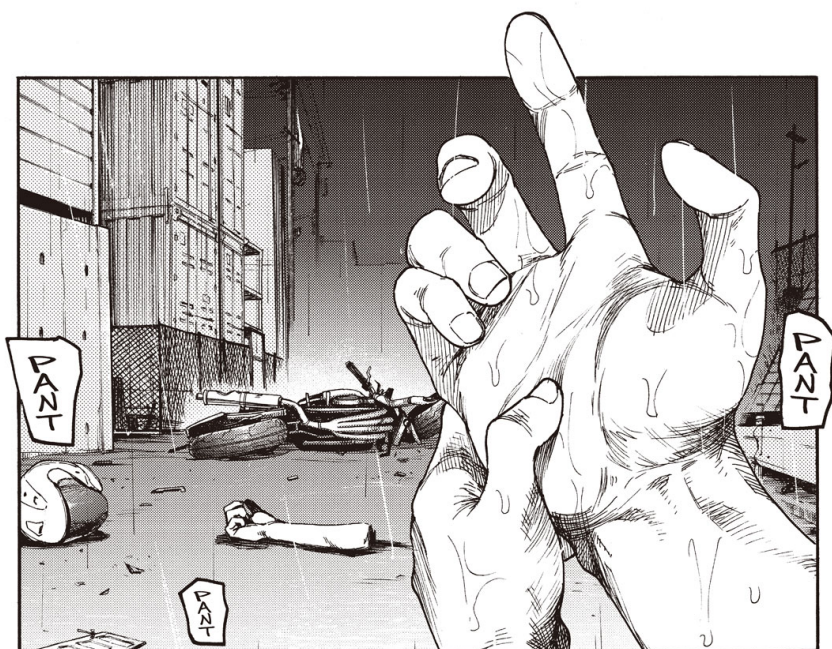


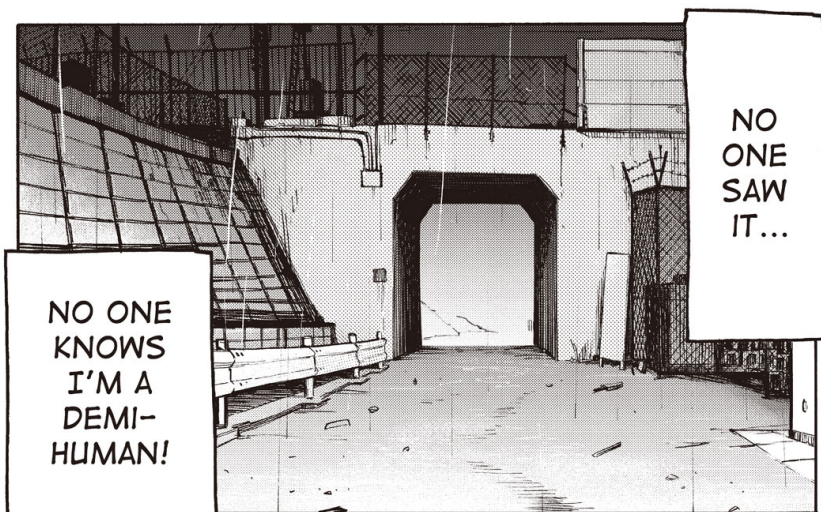


File 00:

The Shinya Nakamura Incident

Story: Tsuina Miura Art: Gamon Sakurai





IF NO ONE FINDS OUT, I CAN KEEP LIVING AS A HUMAN!!

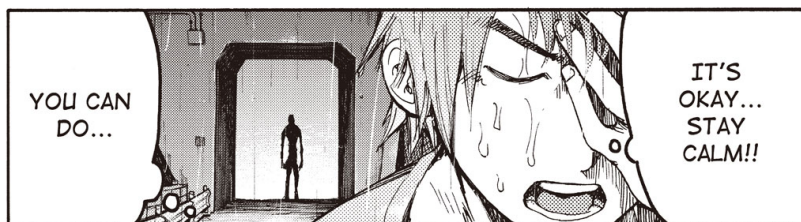


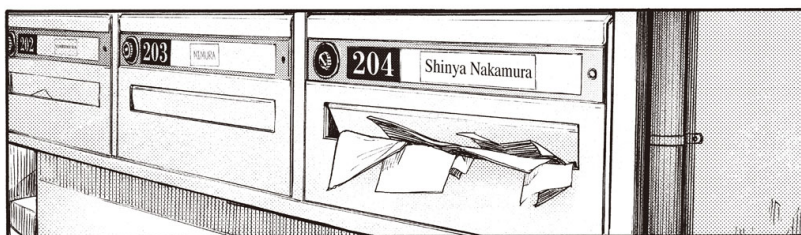
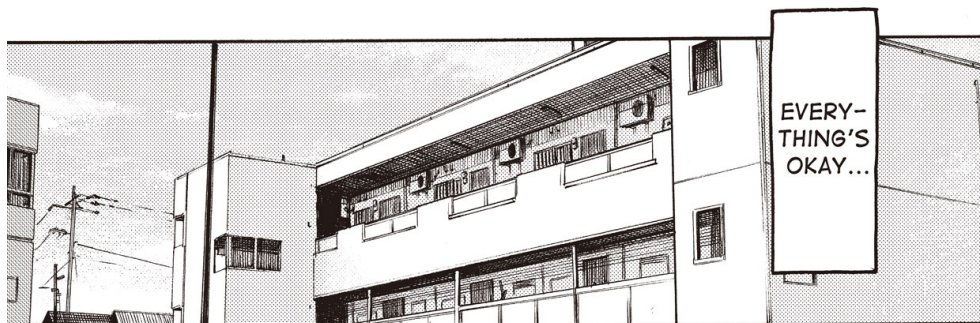
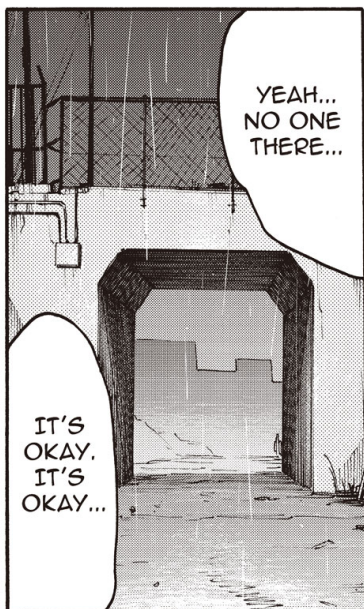
I NEED TO HIDE THE "PROOF" !!



UH

NK







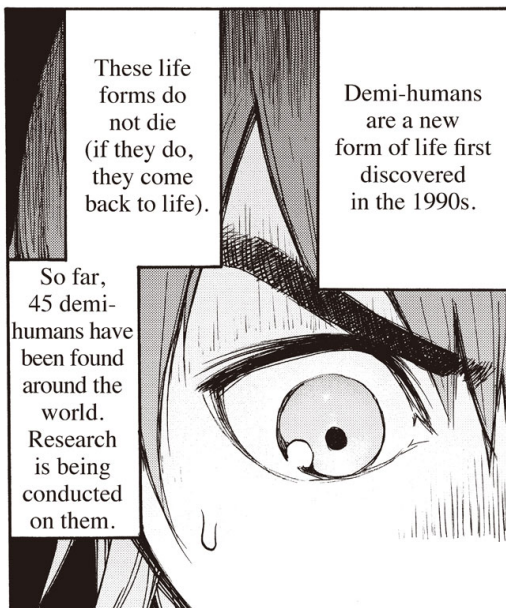
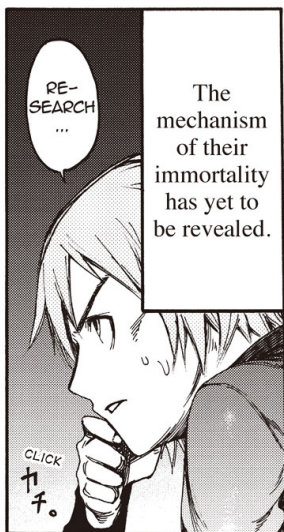
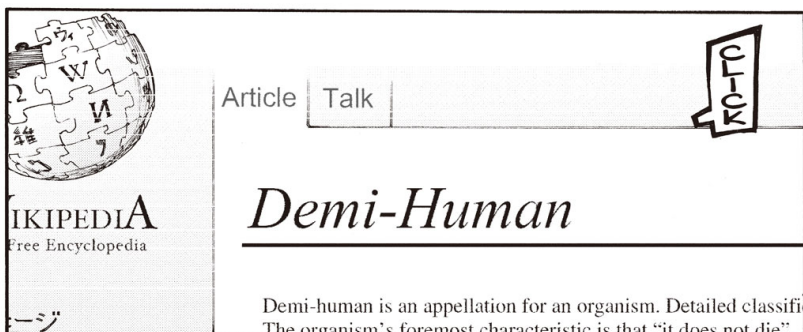
MAKE
IT HOME
SOMEHOW.

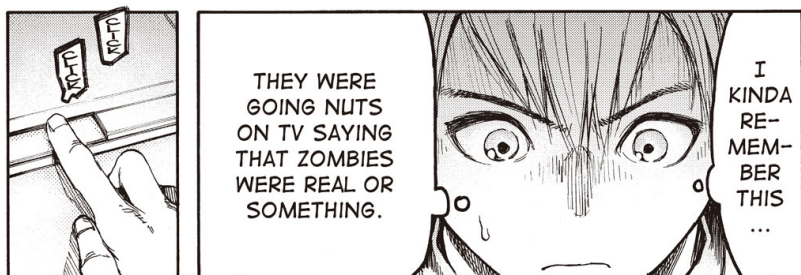
I
MANAGED
TO



BUT
THERE'S
NO WAY
THEY
THOUGHT
I'M A
DEMI-
HUMAN.

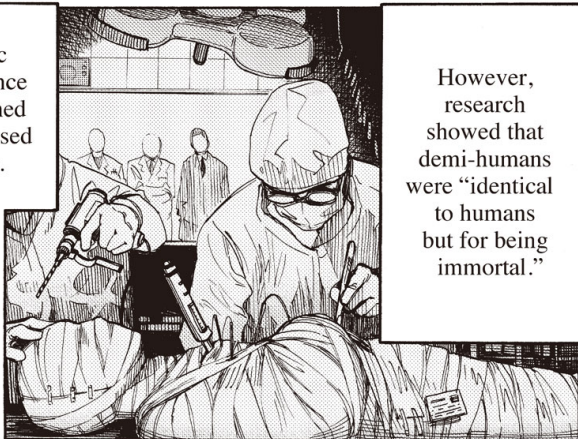
SOME
PEOPLE
LOOKED
AT ME
STRANGE...





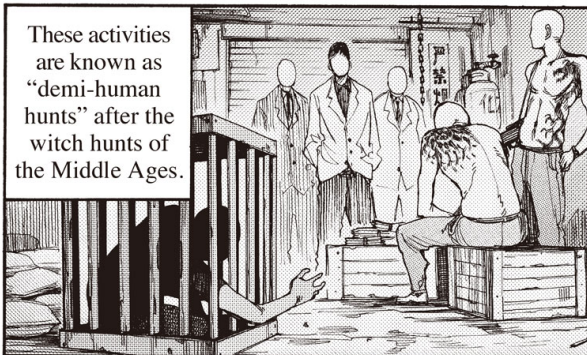
The panic subsided once it was learned that they posed no threat.

Demi-humans were then considered vital research subjects for the advancement of mankind, rather than undying monsters.



However, research showed that demi-humans were “identical to humans but for being immortal.”

These activities are known as “demi-human hunts” after the witch hunts of the Middle Ages.



Some demi-humans are reputed to have been captured and sold to governments and the criminal underworld.



IF

THEY
GET
ME...

RUNNING
AWAY IS
GOING TO BE
DIFFICULT
ONCE PEOPLE
KNOW...

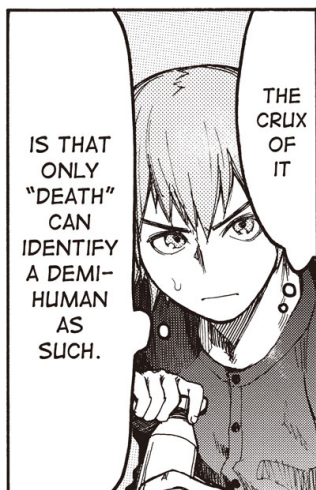
SO THIS
IS WHAT'S
GOING TO
HAPPEN
TO ME
IF I'M
FOUND
OUT...



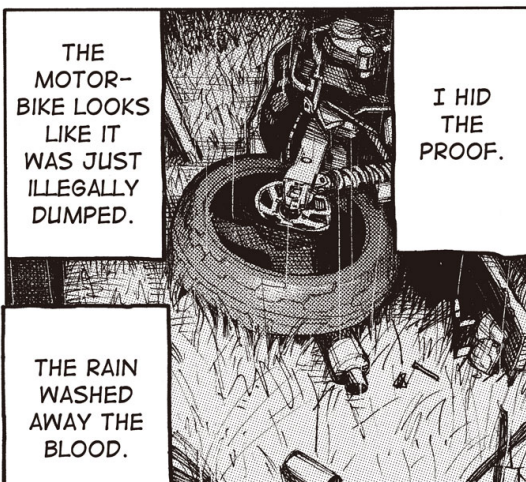
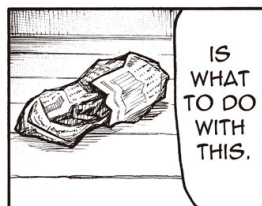
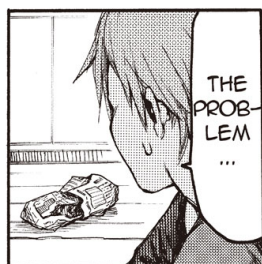
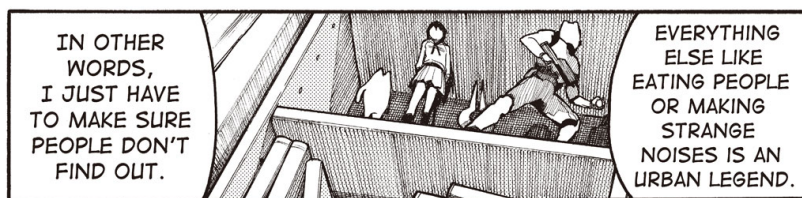
UN-
DYING
...
FOR
GOOD
!!



I'LL BE
A LAB
RAT
FOR
GOOD!



THE CRUX OF IT



THE RAIN WASHED AWAY THE BLOOD.

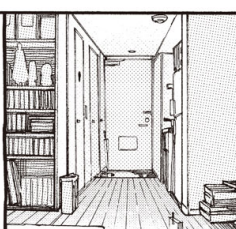
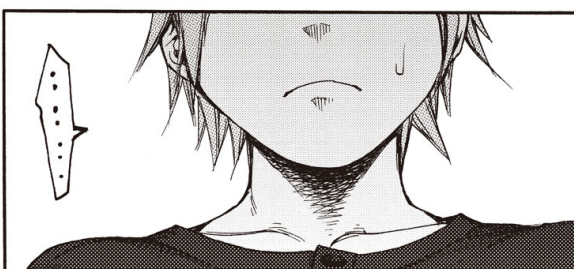
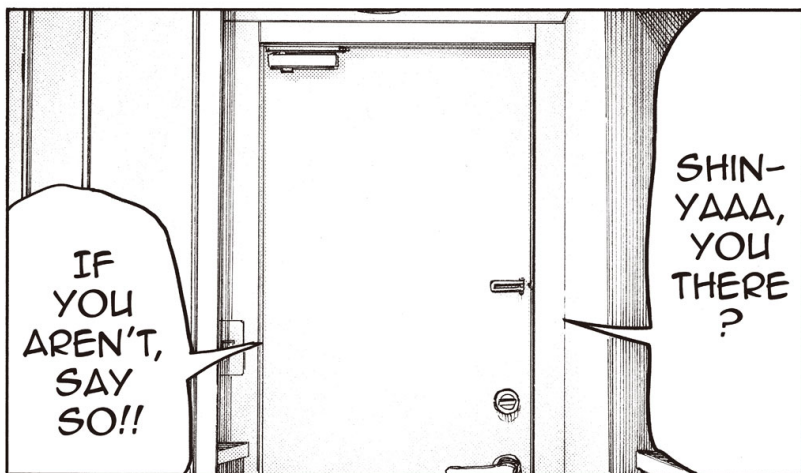


AS LONG
AS NO ONE
FINDS THIS,
I CAN STAY
HUMAN IN—

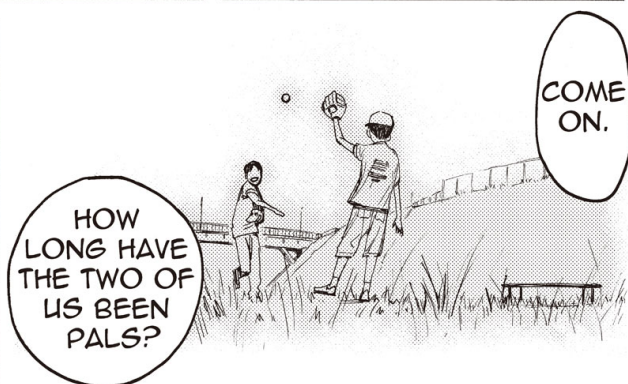
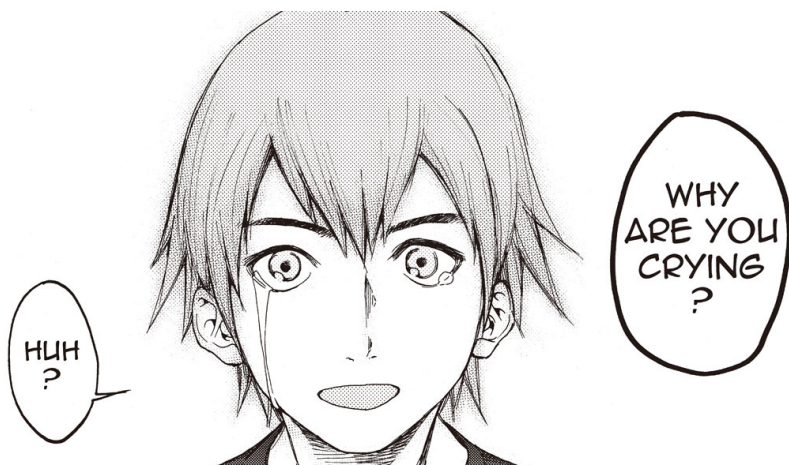


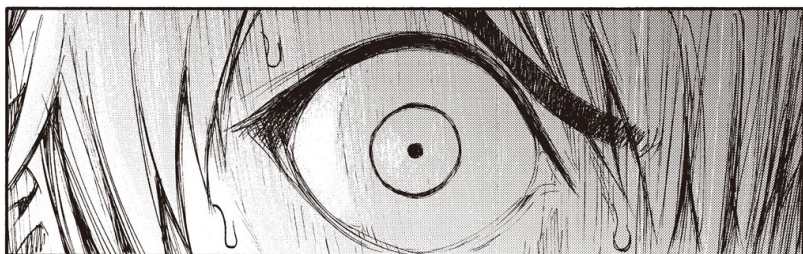
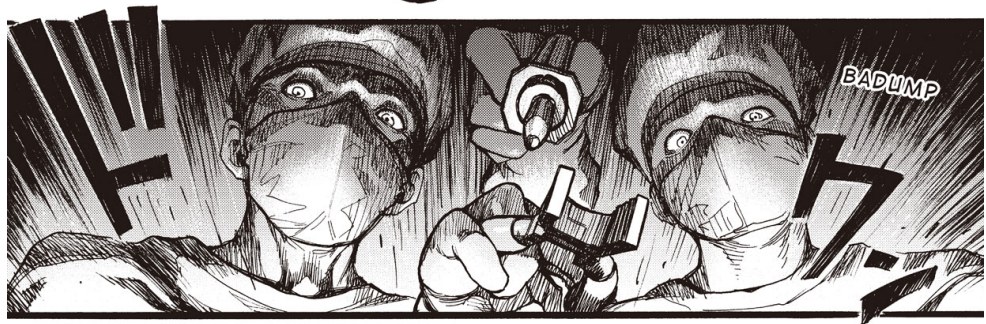
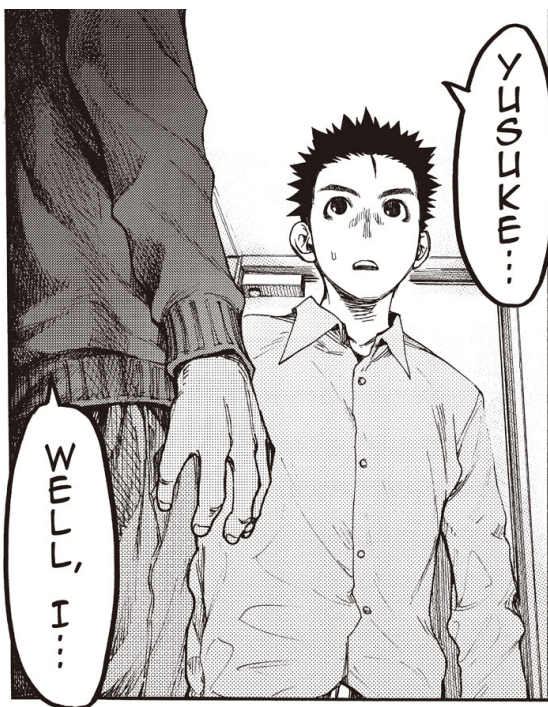
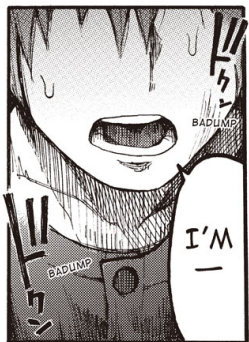
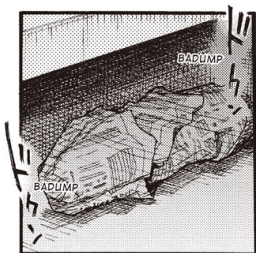
DECISIVE
PROOF
THAT I'M
A DEMI-
HUMAN.

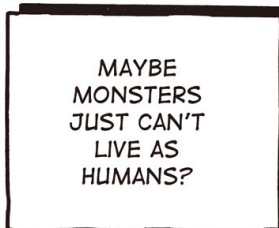
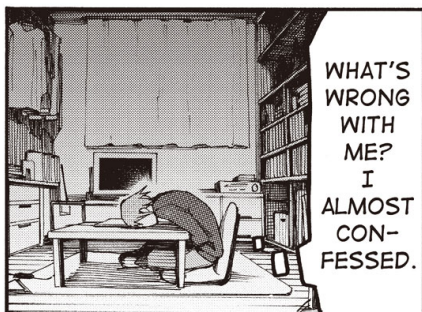


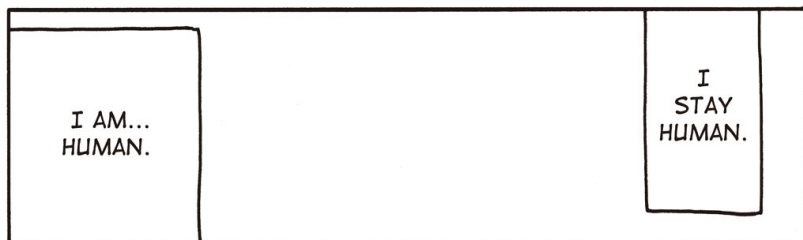
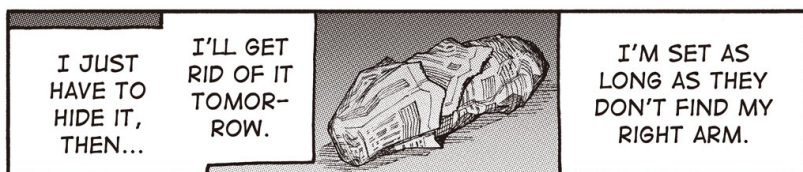


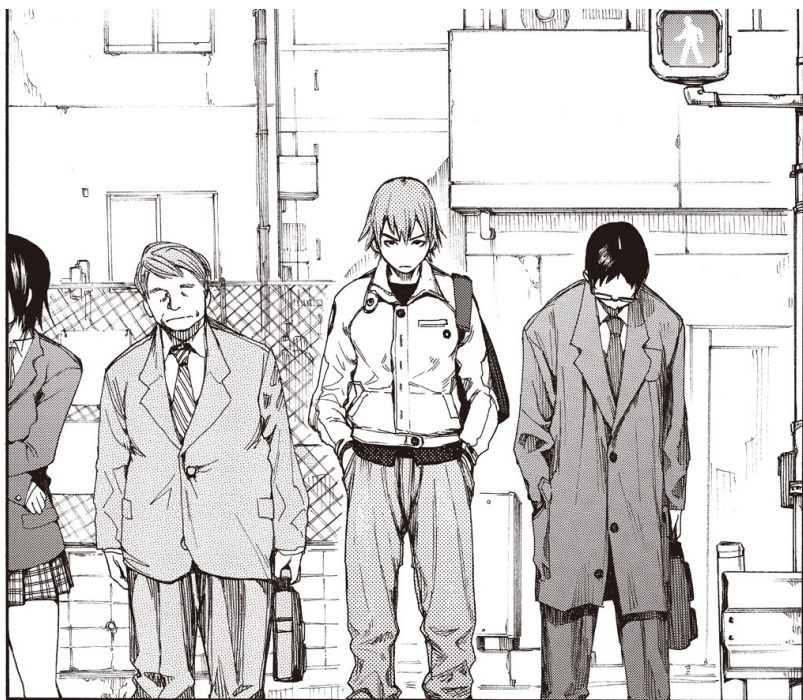








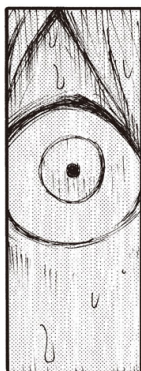
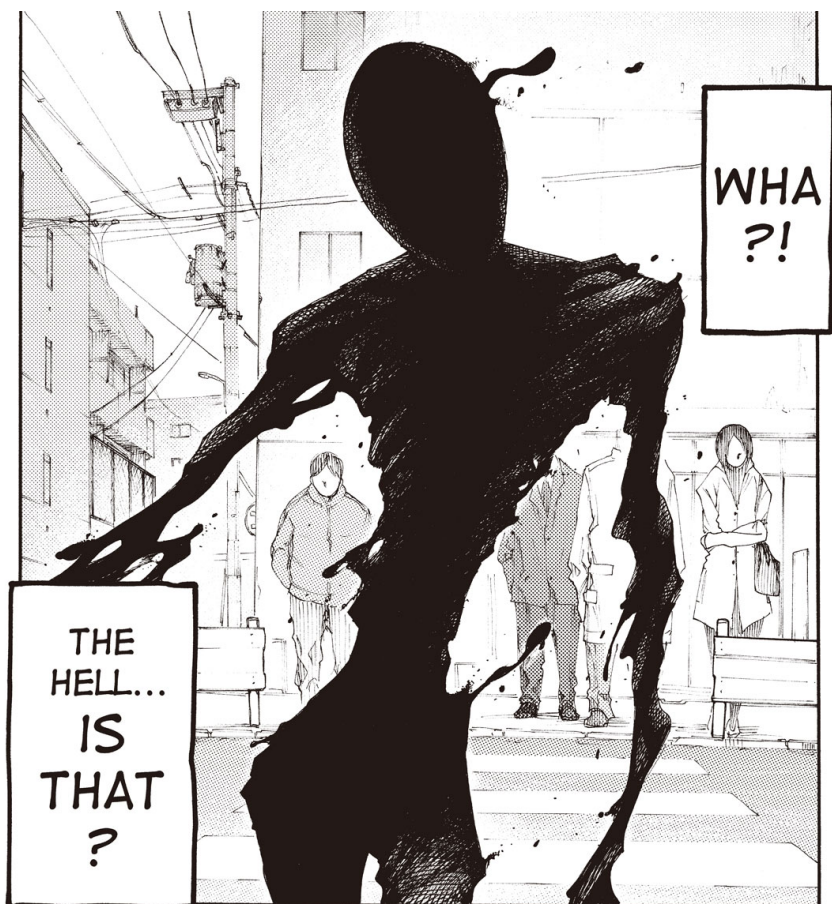




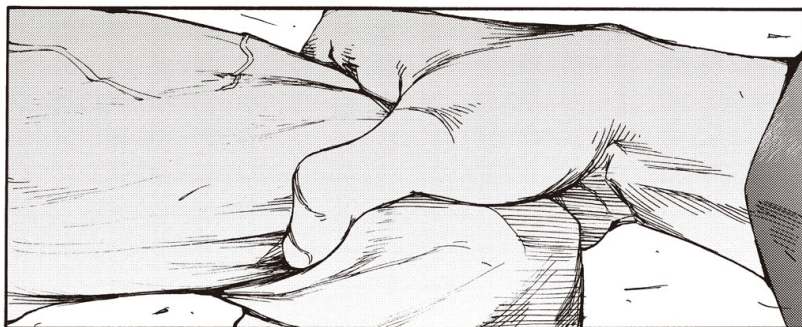
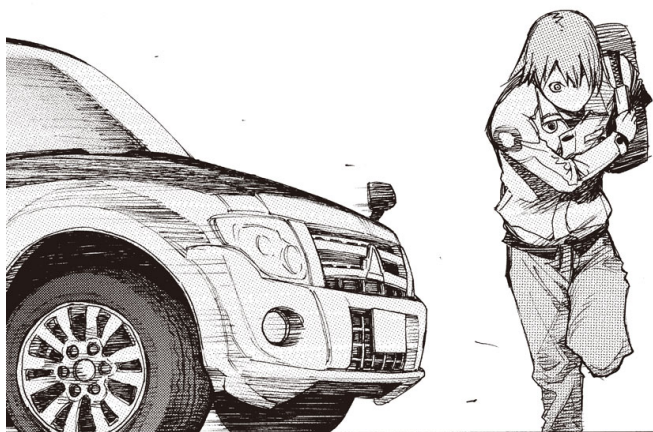
OR THAT I'M
ANYTHING
OTHER THAN
A HUMAN
BEING.

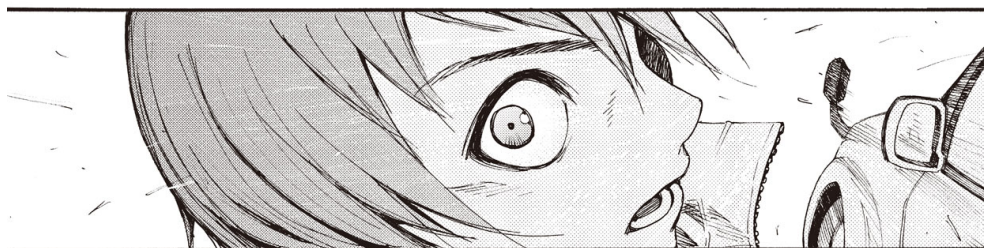
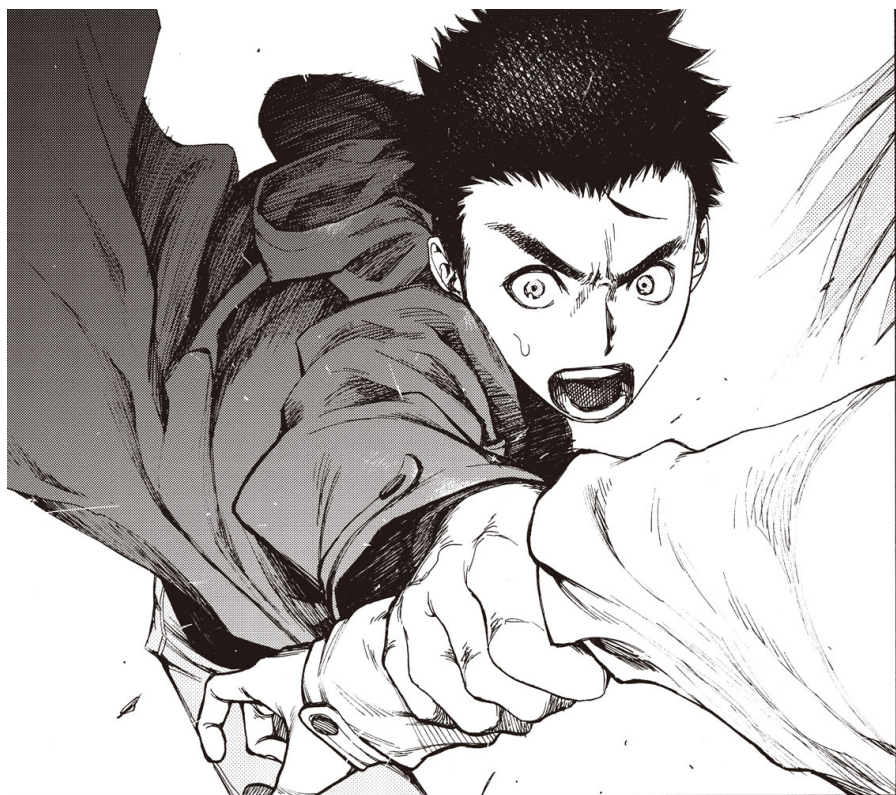
THERE'S NO
WAY THESE
PEOPLE THINK
I'M CARRYING
MY OWN
RIGHT ARM













YUSUKE
MIGHT SIDE
WITH ME...

WE SHOULD
GET YOU
TO A HOS...
NO, LET'S
TALK TO
YOUR
FOLKS
FIRST...



YOU
OKAY,
SHINYA
?

BUT...
AT THIS
RATE, MY
MIND ISN'T
GONNA HOLD
OUT...

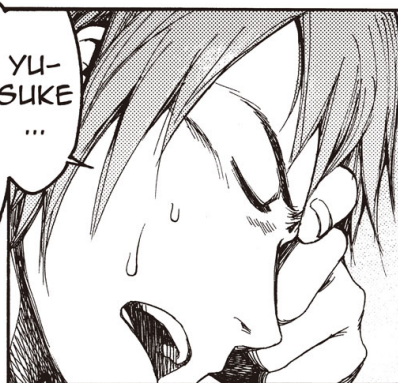


NAH,
WHY
WOULD
HE...



YU-
SUKE
A...
DE...

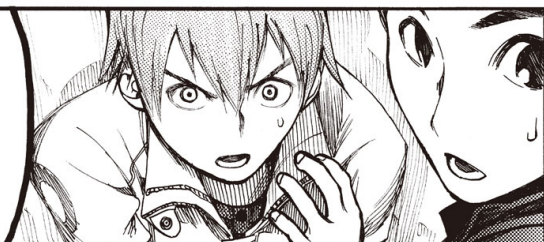
シャリ...
SHARI...



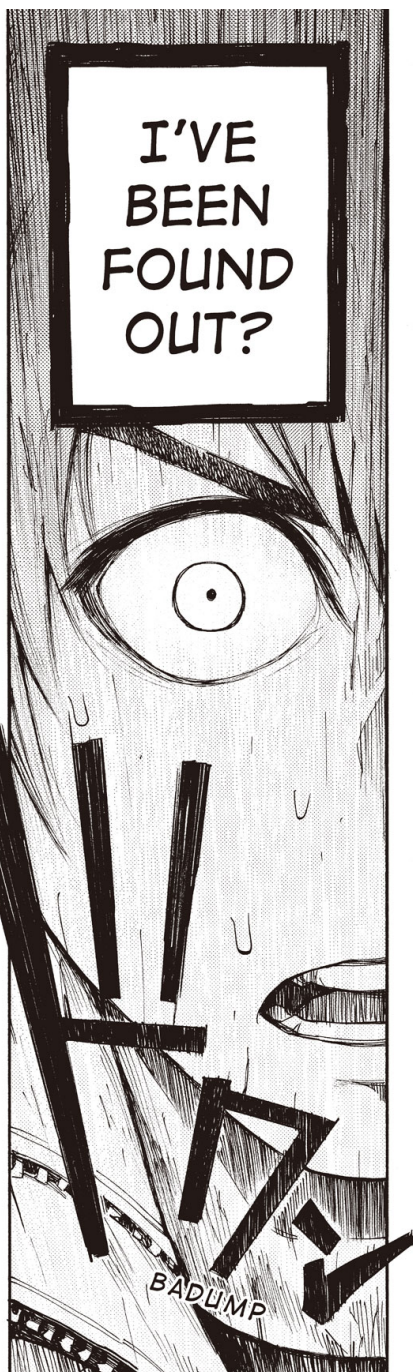
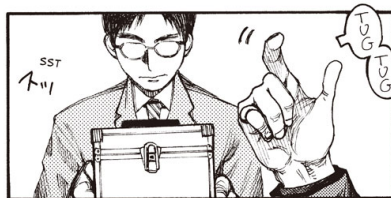
IF IT'S
BY HIM...
BEING
SOLD OFF
WOULDN'T
SUCK AS
BAD...

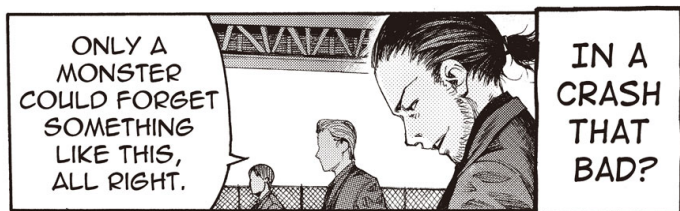
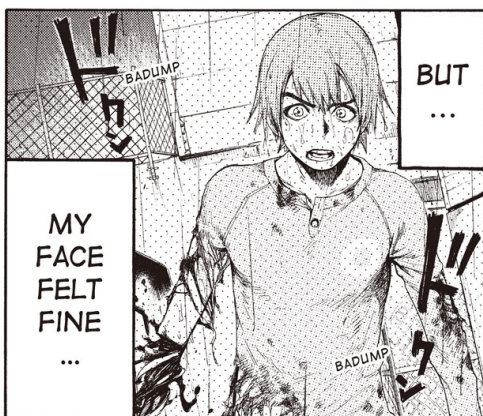
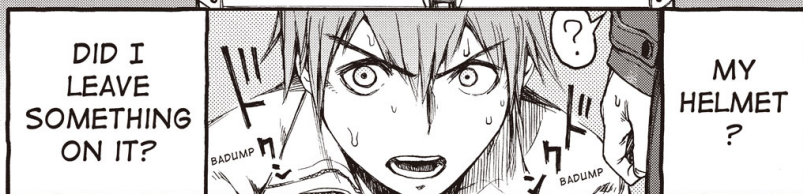


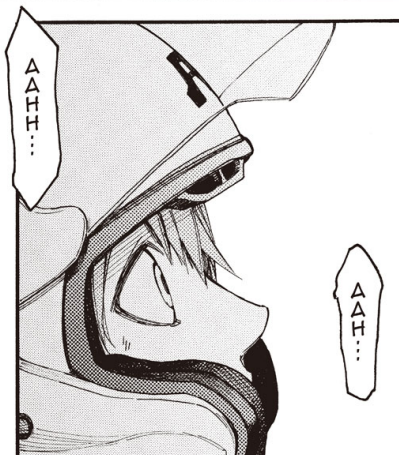
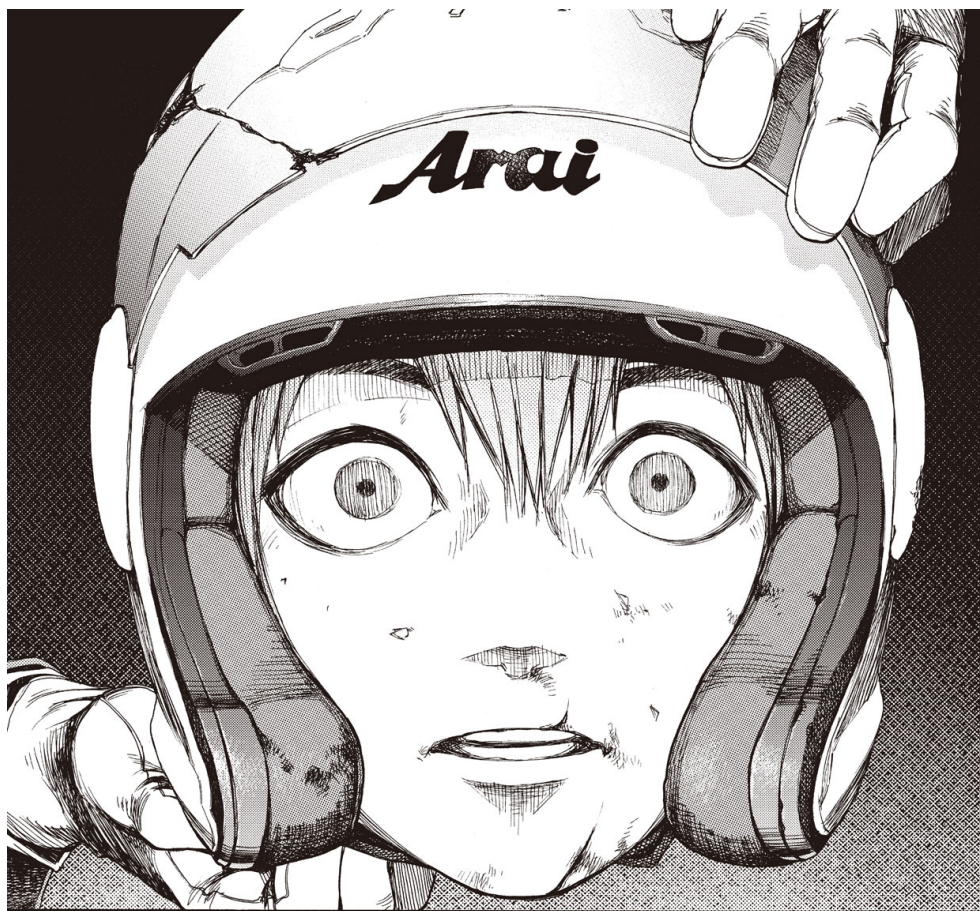
BINGO.
THAT'S
THE FACE.

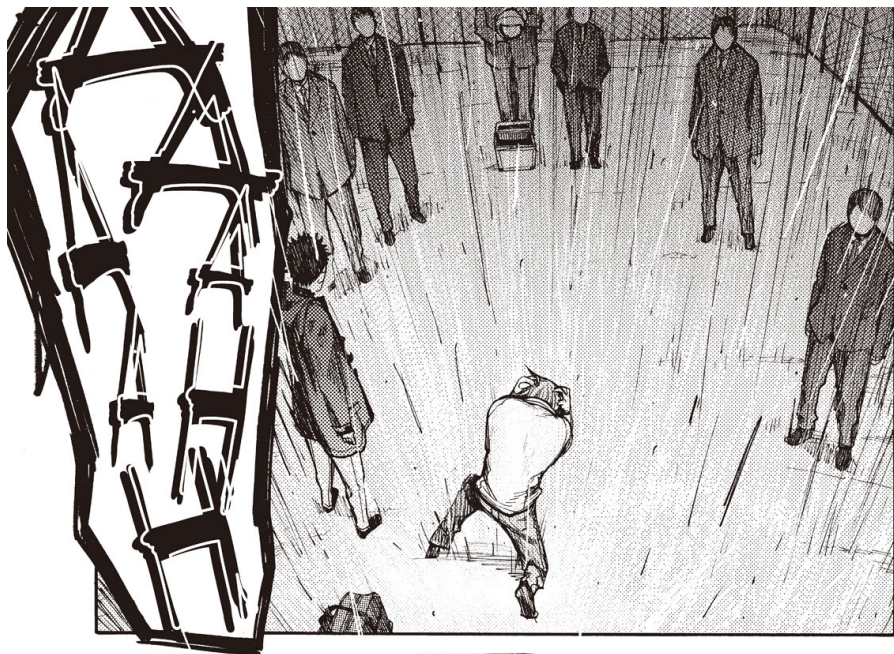


YOU,
RIGHT
?

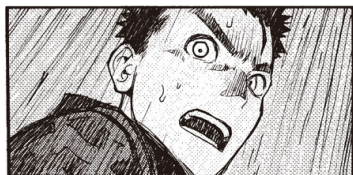








HOW
COULD
I



AND
NOT
EVEN
NOTICE

...



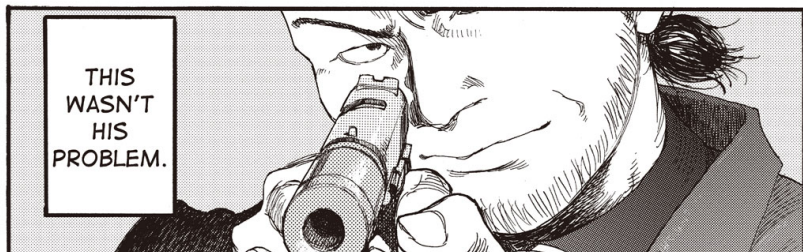
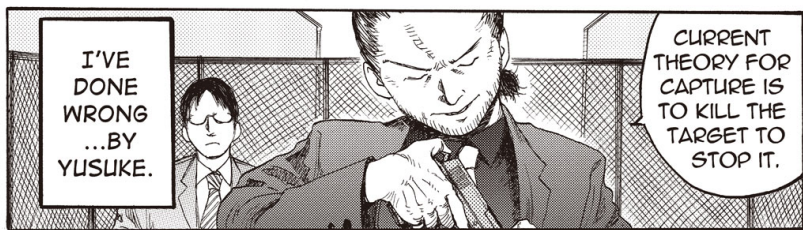
GROW
A NEW
HEAD

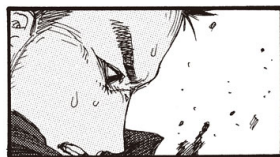
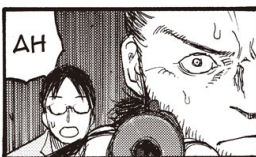
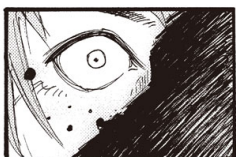
AH...
FORGET
BEING A
MONSTER.

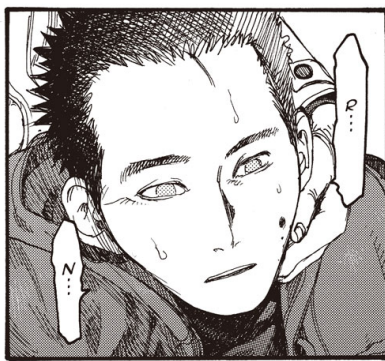
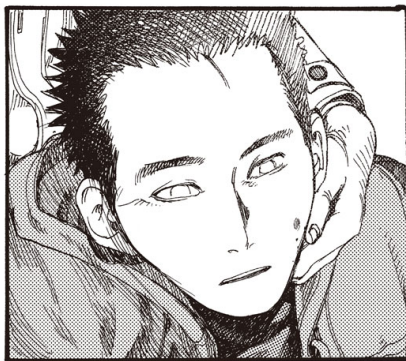
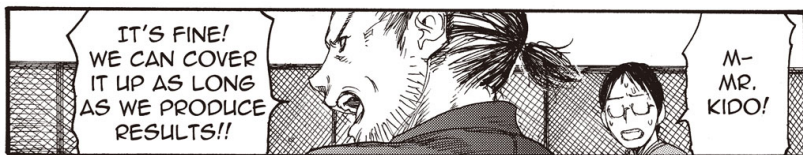
PURSUANT TO
THE SPECIAL
ACT ON DEMI-
HUMANS, WE'RE
CAPTURING
"SHINYA
NAKAMURA"!!

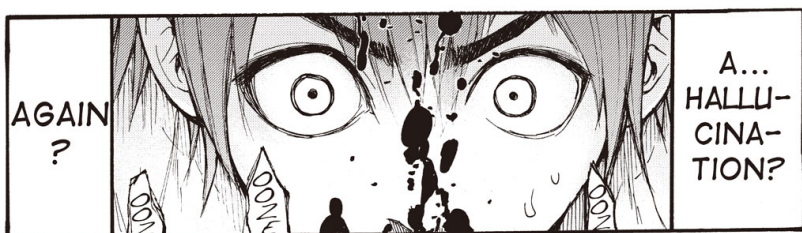
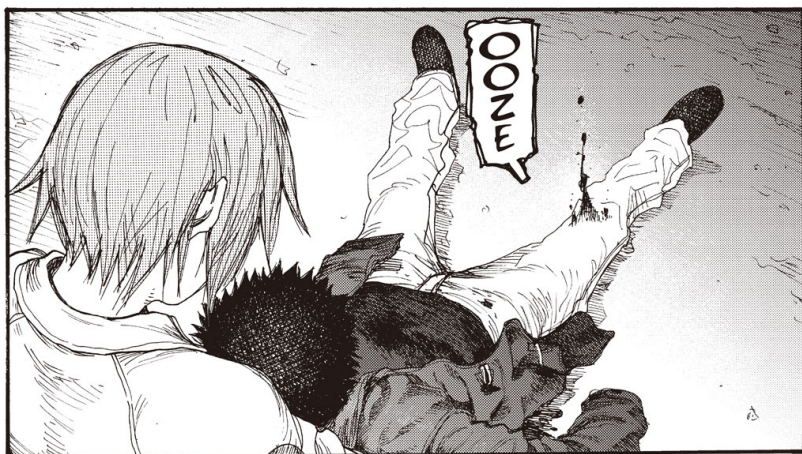


I'M KIDO,
FROM
THE DEMI-
HUMAN
CONTROL
COMMISSION.

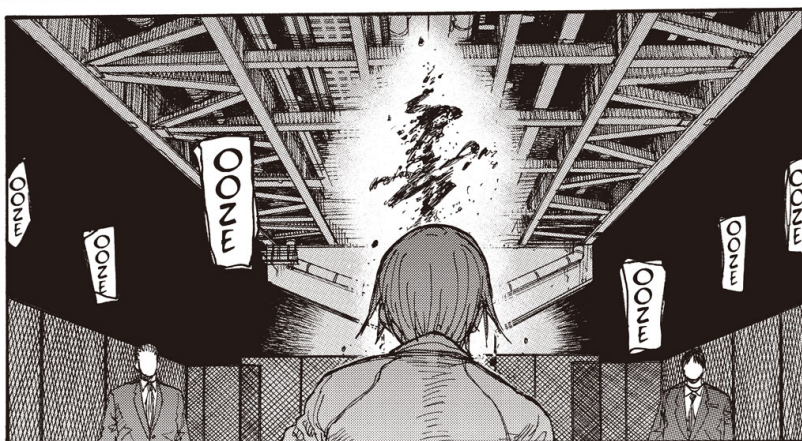


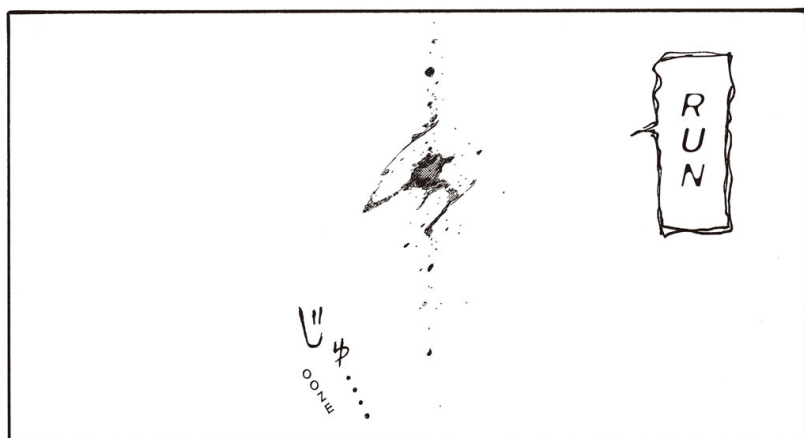
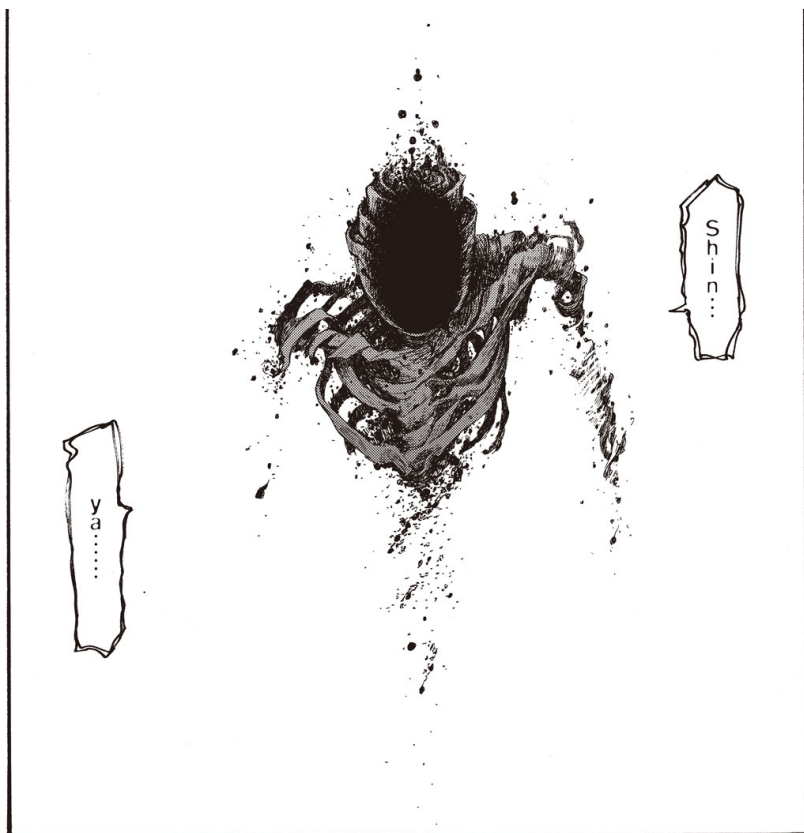


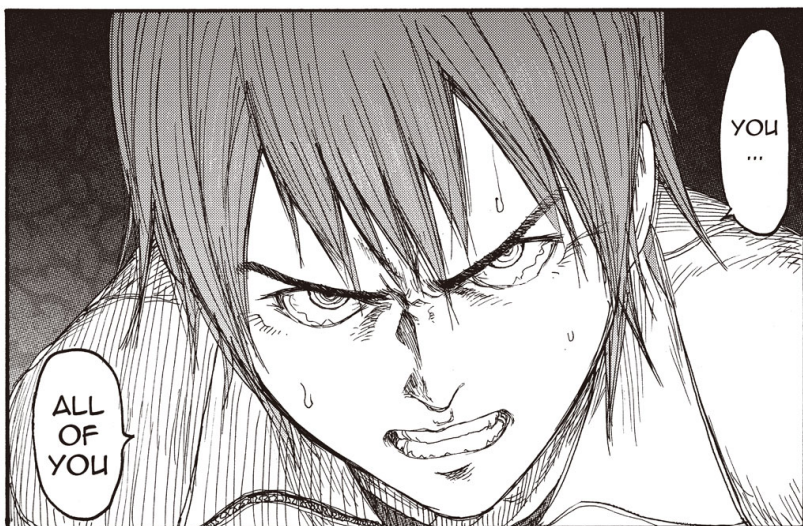
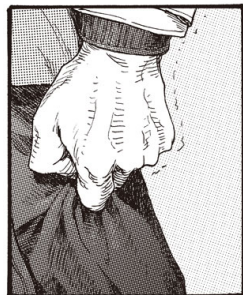
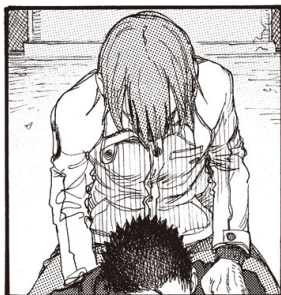
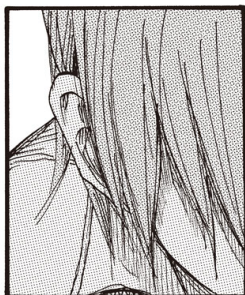
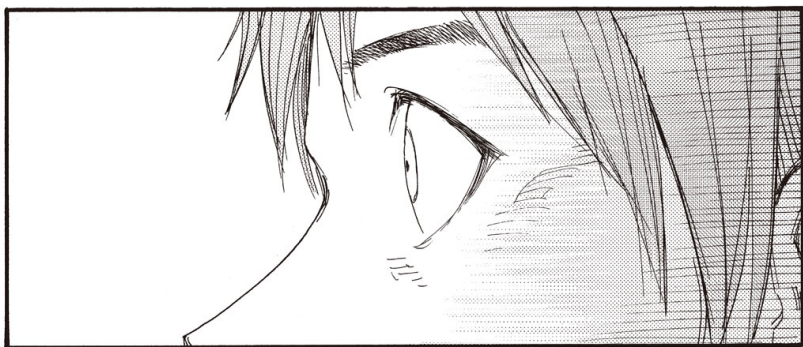


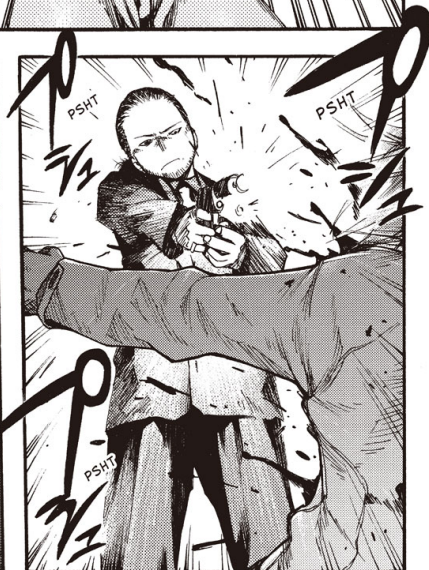
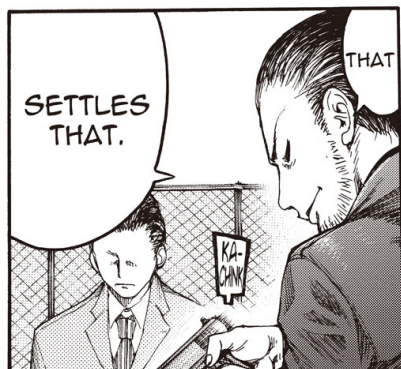
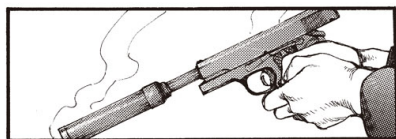
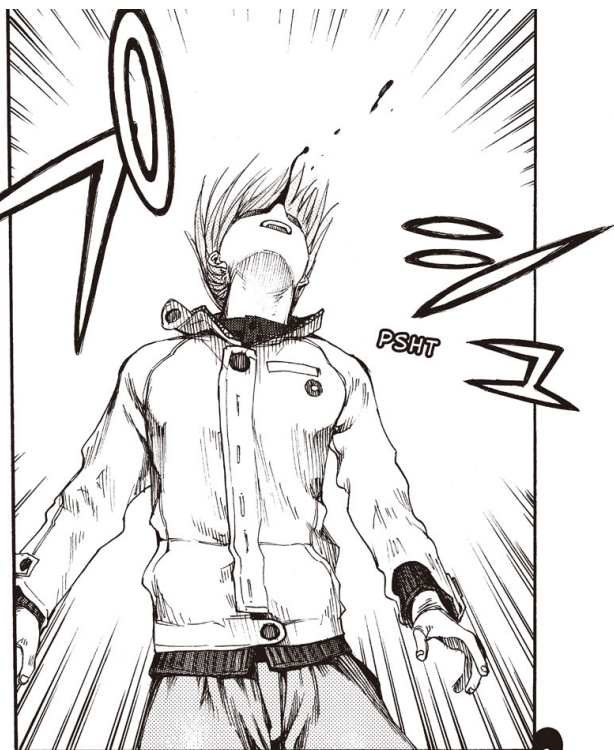
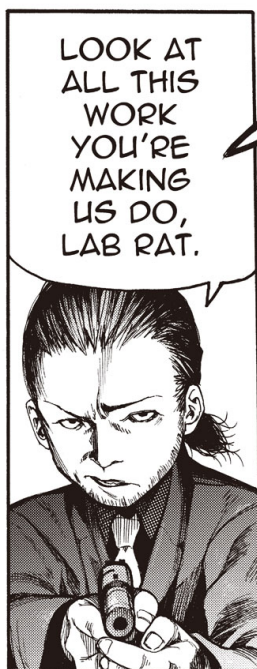


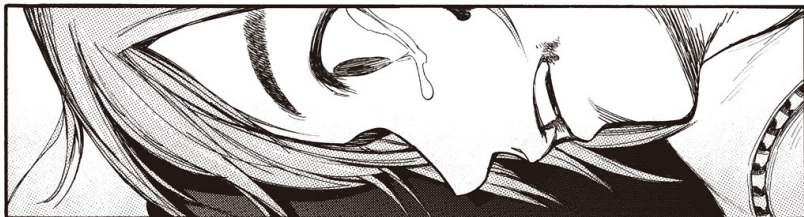
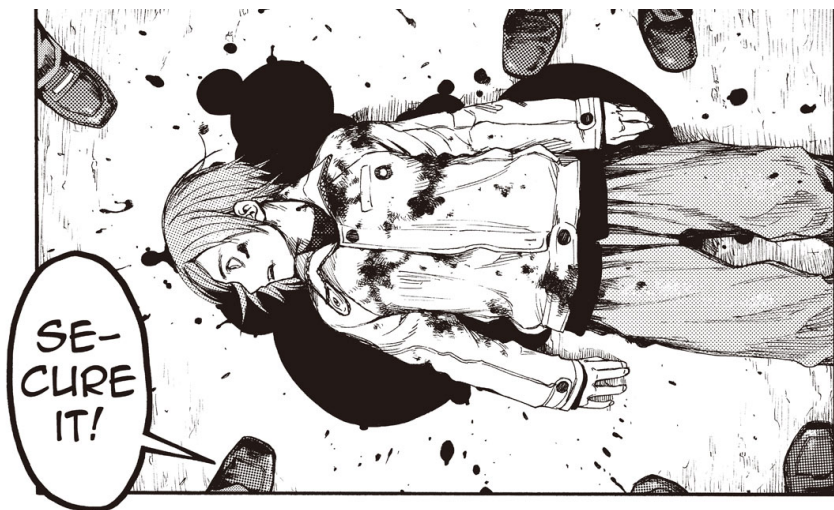
A...
HALLU-
CINA-
TION?

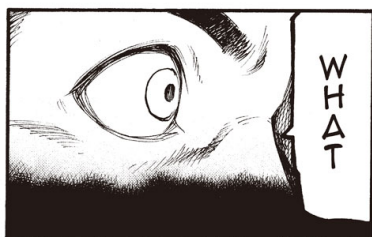
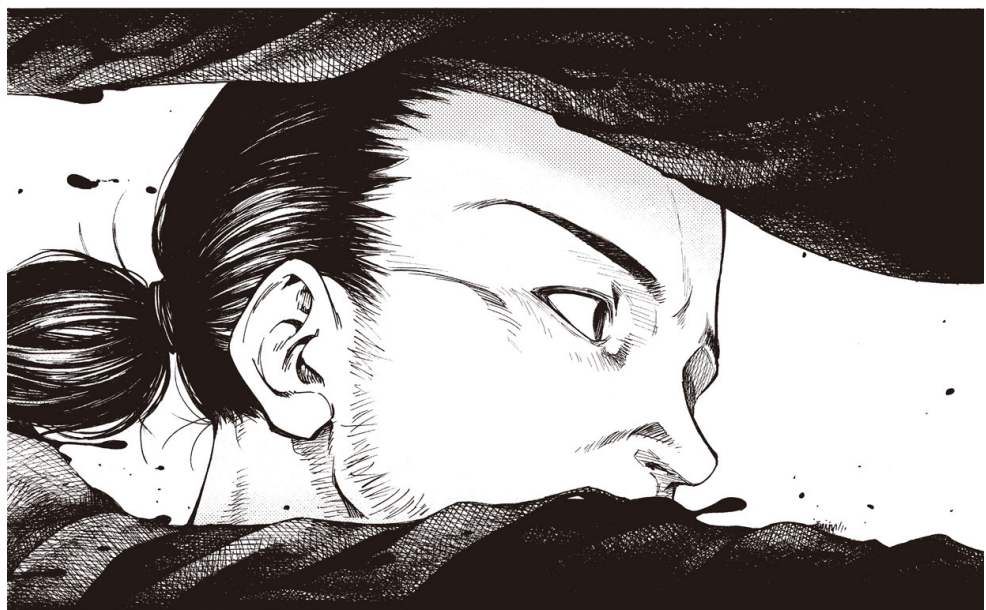


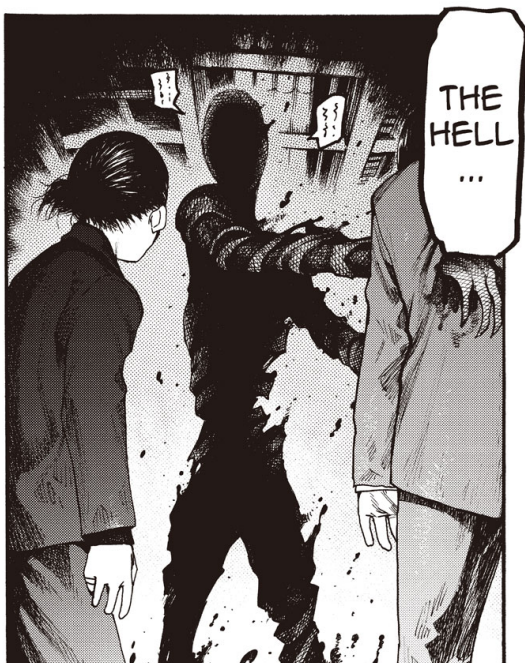






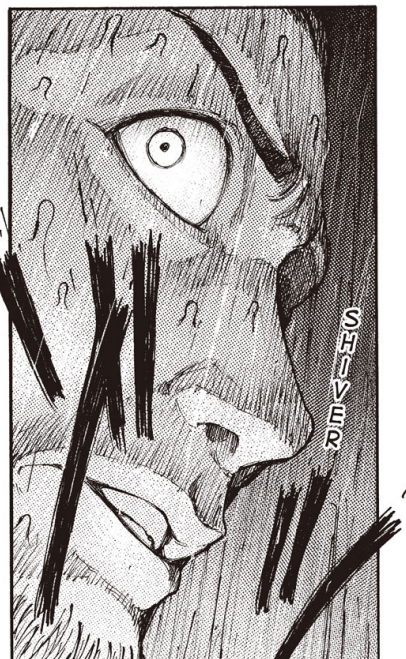


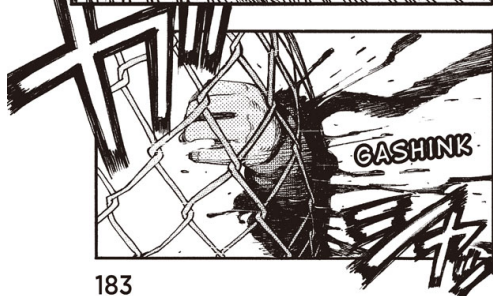
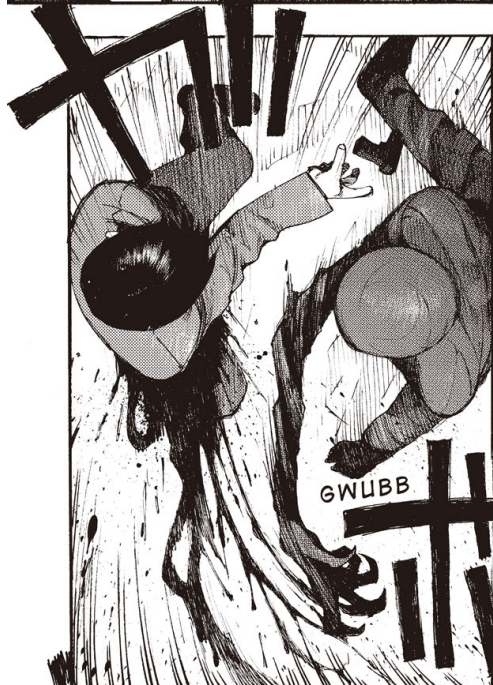
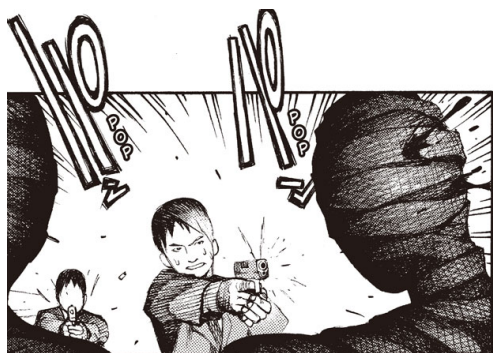


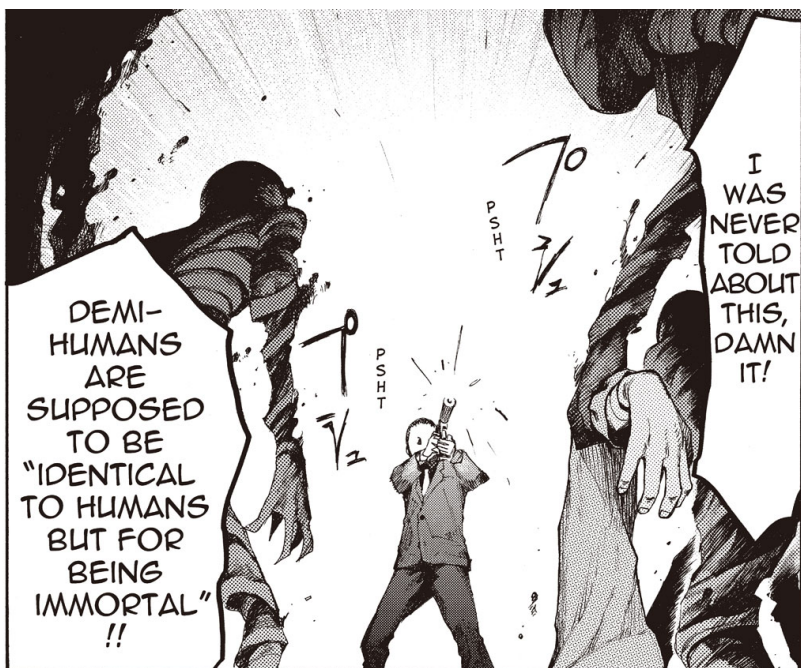










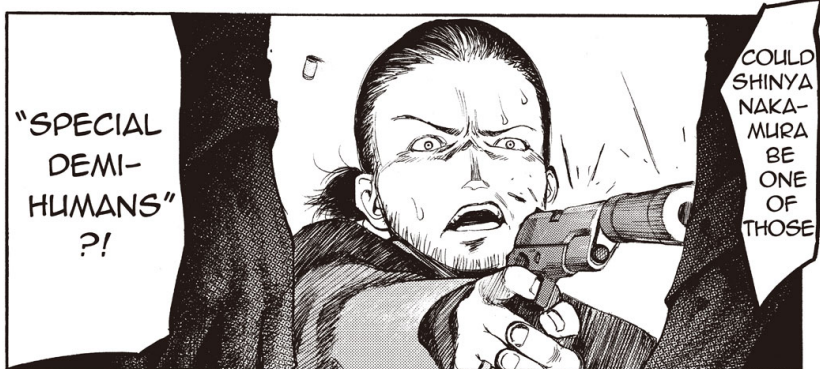


DEMI-
HUMANS
ARE
SUPPOSED
TO BE
"IDENTICAL
TO HUMANS
BUT FOR
BEING
IMMORTAL"
!!

I
WAS
NEVER
TOLD
ABOUT
THIS,
DAMN
IT!

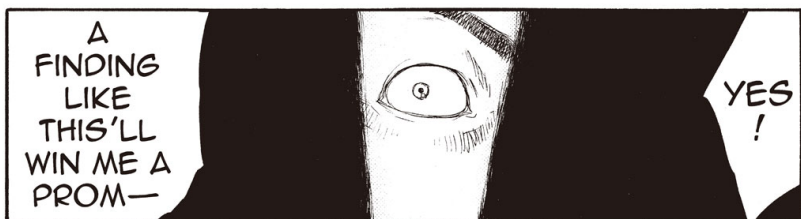
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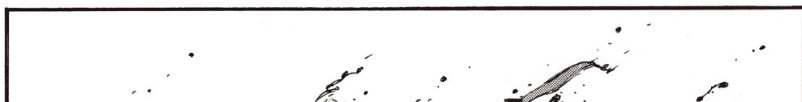
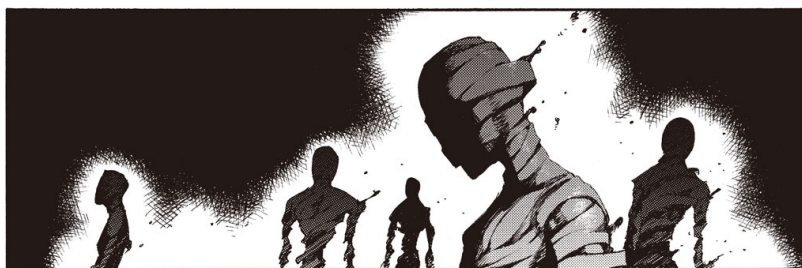
"SPECIAL
DEMI-
HUMANS"
?!

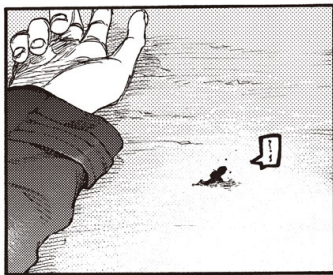
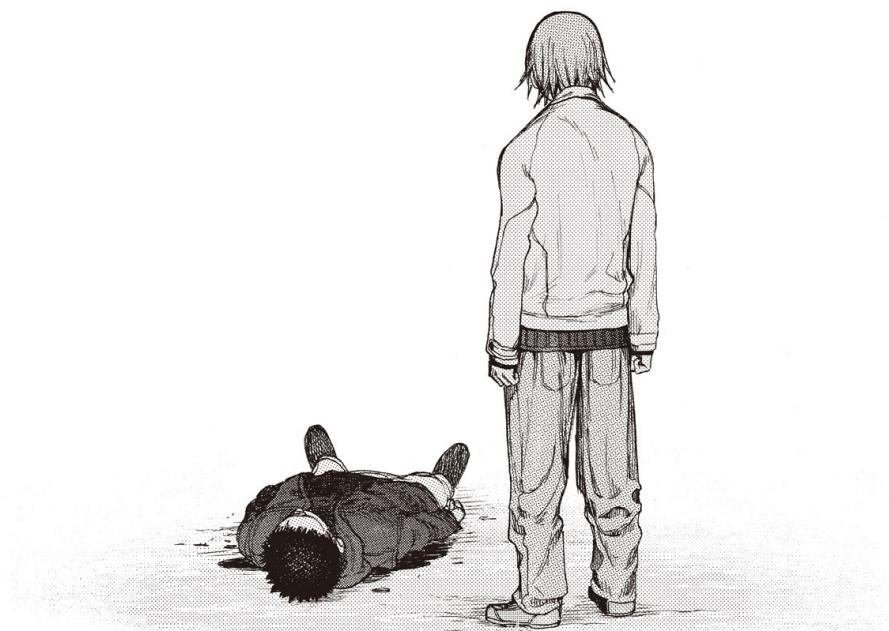
COULD
SHINYA
NAKA-
MURA
BE
ONE
OF
THOSE

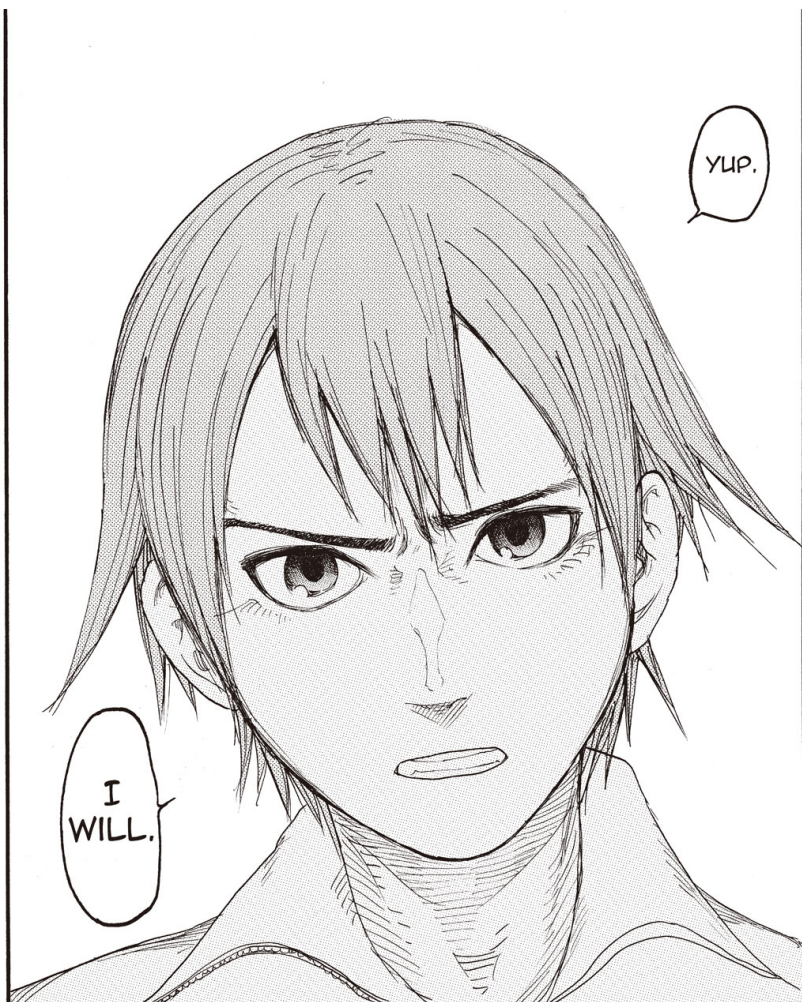


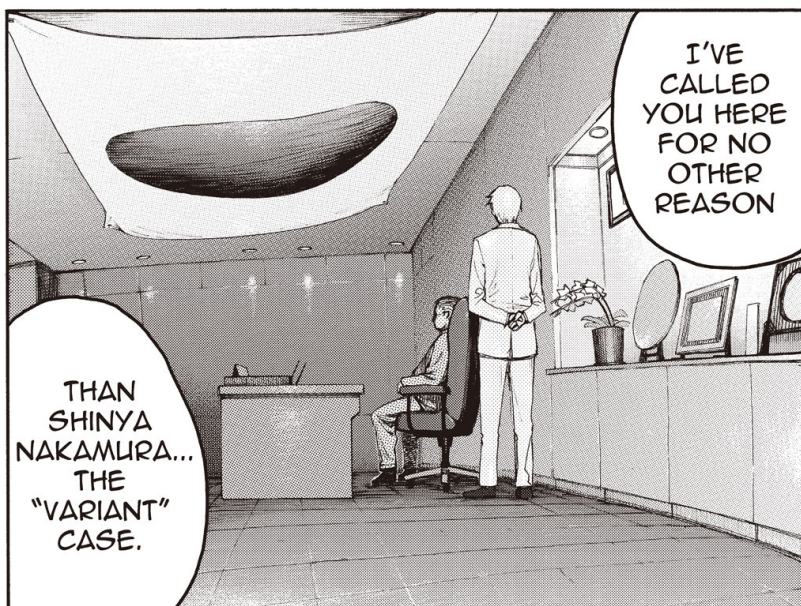
A
FINDING
LIKE
THIS'LL
WIN ME A
PROM—

YES
!









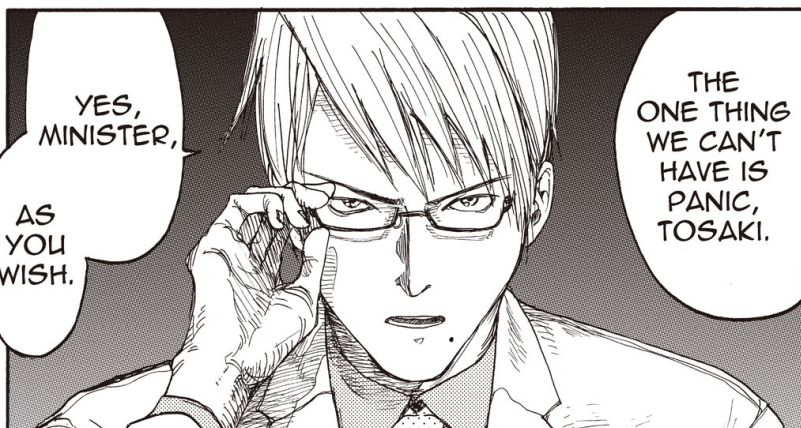
I'VE
CALLED
YOU HERE
FOR NO
OTHER
REASON

THAN
SHINYA
NAKAMURA...
THE
"VARIANT"
CASE.



AND
ESTABLISH
COUNTER-
MEASURES IF
NECESSARY.

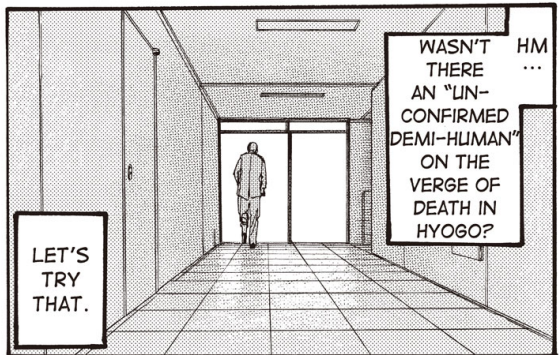
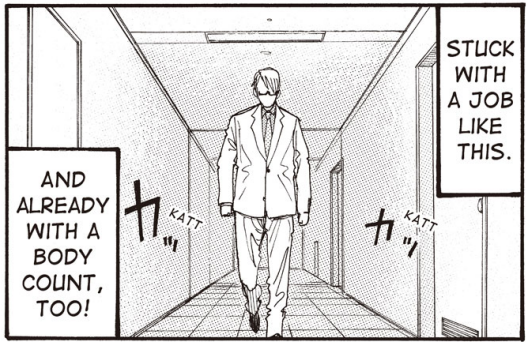
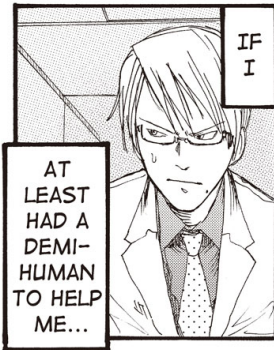
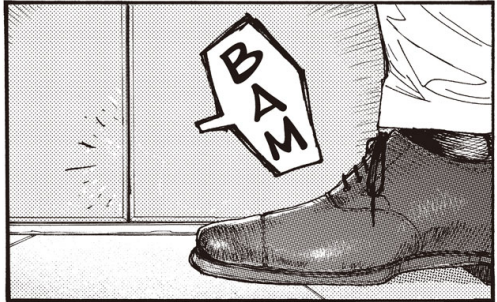
I WANT
YOU TO
INVESTIGATE,
BRING THE
FACTS TO
LIGHT,



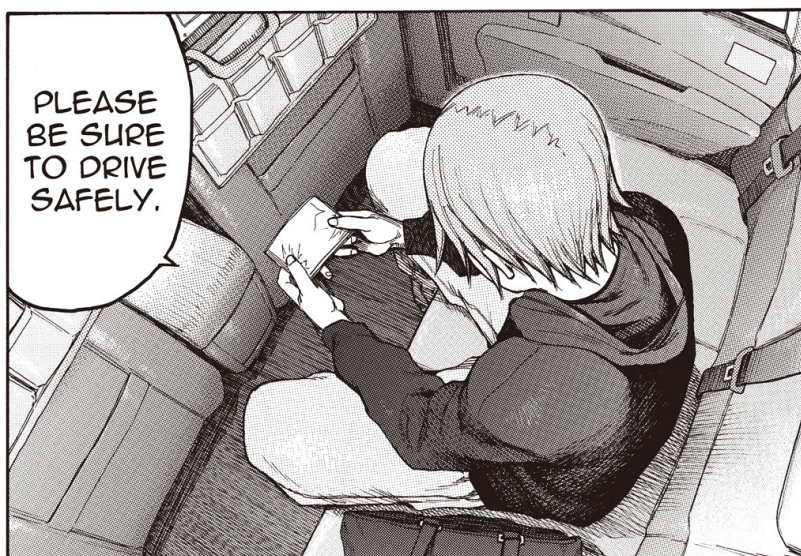
YES,
MINISTER,

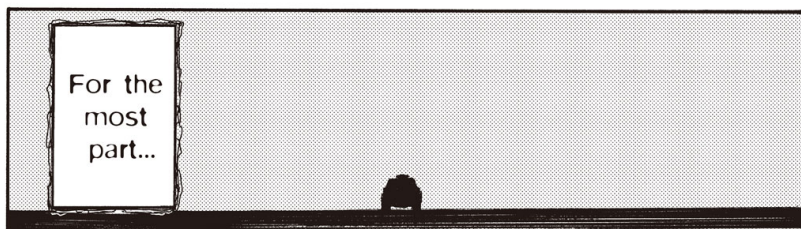
AS
YOU
WISH.

THE
ONE THING
WE CAN'T
HAVE IS
PANIC,
TOSAKI.









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